

# THE MONEY TREE'S FOURTH MAIL BID SALE

Our Autumn 1988 sale features the Craig Folkes library. Highlights include the John Adams Collection of 1794 large cents, deluxe editions of NASCA's Wayte Raymond sales and Bowers and Ruddy's Garrett, Clifford, and U.S. Gold (Eliasberg) collections; Kenneth Lee's deluxe copy of the Oscar Pearl collection of large cents, a deluxe edition of Ahwash's work on Seated Liberty dimes. a 1954 Farouk sale beautifully bound in leather, and numerous other deluxe editions of auction catalogues. Also featured individually are complete sets of Redbooks, Bluebooks, and Raymond Standard Guides. The rest of Craig's library can be characterized as important works in excellent condition.

Another consignment features scarce and important periodicals New Netherlands Numisma complete. Numismatic Review, Coin Collector's Journal, Numismatic Gallery Monthly. Also included are many important sales of copper coinage, important small format Stack's sales, early Bowers literature, and important ANS literature

Notable single works include are Griffith's <u>Story of the American Bank Note Company</u>, Gilbert's <u>Trade and Currency in Early Oregon</u>, <u>Breen's Encyclopedia of ... Proof Coins</u>, <u>Stewart's 1924 First United States Mint</u>, Vlack's first edition of <u>A Catalogue of Early American Coins</u>, and Criswell's <u>North American Currency</u>.

A special offering is a deluxe copy with photographic plates of Superior's upcoming auction of the <u>Jack Robinson Collection of United States Half Cents and Large Cents</u> Despite the sale's not being held until January 1989, Superior has pledged one copy of the limited edition for this sale

Other consignments have important literature for ancient, medieval, and world coinage - many infrequently available in the United States. The areas include scarce and important numismatic works on Korea, China, Czechoslovakia, India, Russia, Great Britain, the Moslem world, medieval European, ancient Greek, Roman, and Byzantine.

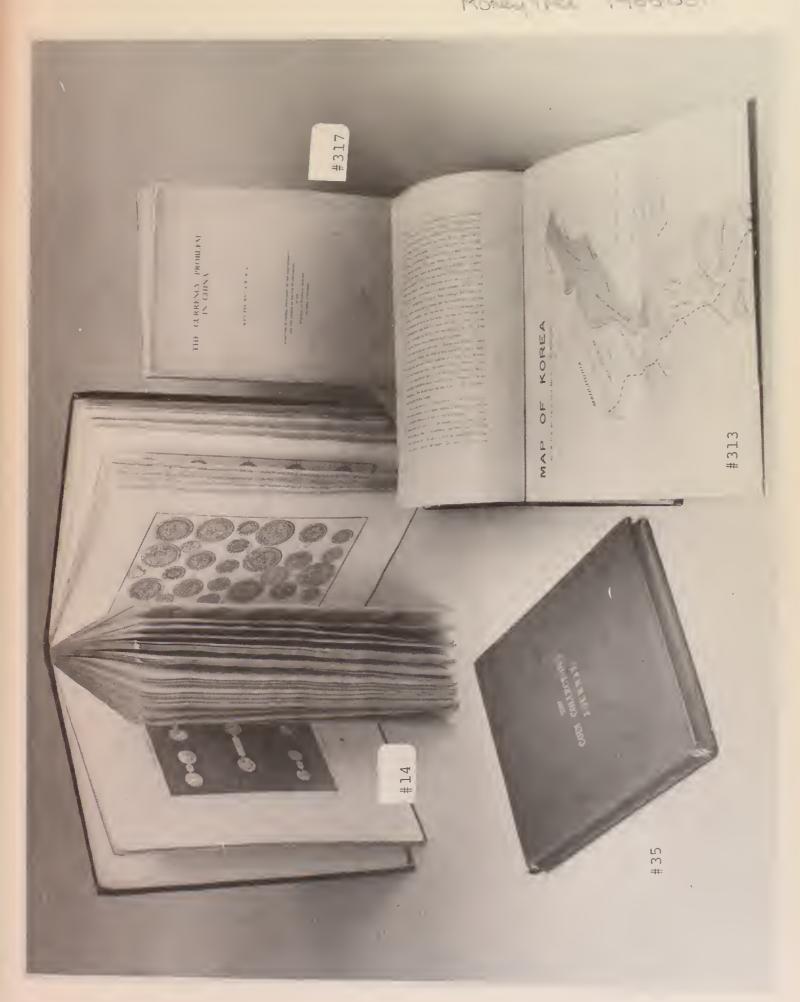
Finally, featured are an uncommon number of infrequently offered periodicals, both domestic and foreign

We hope that you will find our new layout for this sale pleasing. We also believe this will make the extensive annotations easier to read. With the vast, seemingly never-ending, variety of numismatic literature it is all to easy to pass up a potentially important work because we are not aware of its significance, its contents, or even its existence. Also, because both of us get such enjoyment from numismatic literature, we just cannot pass up an opportunity to share things we find of interest. Our parenthetical asides are included gratis.

We really enjoyed putting this sale together: we hope you like it.

Myron Xenos, NLG Publisher of The Money Tree, ANA member since 1961, ANS, NBS

Ken Lowe, NLG Cataloguer and Editor of The Money Tree Publications, ANA, ANS, NBS, EAC









# PRICES REALIZED THE MONEY TREE: MAIL BID SALE 4 OCTOBER 31. 1988

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- 11	12.00	61	10.00	111	17.50	161	NB	211	NB	261	15.00
12	20.00	62	27.00	112	41.00	162	12.00	212	24.00	262	28.00
13	15.00	63	290.00	113	NB	163	6.67	213	10.00	263	NB
14	64.00	64	140.00	114	164.00	164	20.00	214	20.00	264	6.25
15	6.00	65	117.00	115	78.00	165	NB	215	NB	265	8.00
16	40.00	66	91.00	116	50.00	166	30.00	216	NB	266	25.00
17	NB		¥ 22.00	117	40.00	167	NB	217	5.00	267	21.00
18	11.00		25.00	118	62.00	168	78.00	218	4.00	268	3.00
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21	NB	71	31.00	121	38.00	171	16.00	221	22.00	271	26.00
22	12.00	72	30.00	122	35.00	172	21.00	222	8.00	272	8.00
23	18.00	73	35.00	123	35.00	173	KB	223	NB	273	HB
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26	4.00	76	30.00	126	62.00	176	29.00	226	NB	276	HB
27	20.50	77	10.00	127	NB	177	4.00	227	26.00	277	5.00
28	4.00	78	10.00	128	62.00	178	7.50	228	12.00	278	NB
29	22.00	79	NB	129	15.00	179	NB	229	12.00	279	NB
30	12.00	80	NB	130	NB	180	NB	230	5.00	280	32.00
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36	70.00	86	10.00	136	40.00	186	75.00	236	12.00	286	NB
37	5.00	87	NB	137	24.00	187	NB	237	4.00	287	51.00
38	22.00	88	9.00	138	16.00	188	32.00	238	40.00	288	21.00
39	12.50	89	8.00	139	13.00	189	12.00	239	25.00	289	14.00
40	NB	90	88.00	140	20.00	190	42.00	240	11.00	290	12.00
41	10.50	91	57.00	141	70.00	191	11.50	241	NB	291	70.00
42	25.00	92	NB	142	10.00	192	NB	242	20.00	292	HB
43	NB	93	12.00	143	25.00	193	21.00	243	65.00	293	61.00
44	12.00	94	NB	144	55.00	194	8.00	244	30.00	294	12.00
45	30.00	95	NB	145	15.00	195	13.00	245	10.00	295	
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47	20.00	97	225.00			196	76.00	246	27.50	296	NB 50 00
48	16.00			147	15.00	197	6.50	247	8.00	297	50.00
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310		360	81.00	410	10.00	460	30.00	510	30.00	560	45.00
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314	36.00	364	NB	414	32.00	464	NB	514	12.00	564	15.00
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318	22.00	368	NB	418	27.00	468	33.00	518	61.00	568	16.00
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323	24.00	373	NB	423	20.00	473	24.00	523	10.00	573	15.00
324	NB	374	5.00	424	8.00	474	18.00	524	26.00	574	NB
325	47.00	375	5.00	425	12.00	475	18.00	525	40.00	575	NB
326	NB	376	NB	426	20.00	476	105.00	526	NB	576	26.00
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328	NB	378	19.00	428	10.00	478	11.67	528	NB	578	13.00
329	21.67	379	HB	429	11.00	479	34.00	529	NB	579	25.00
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331	110.00	381	25.00	431	10.00	481	45.00	531	NB	581	11.00
332	NB	382	22.00	432	14.00	482	12.00	532	27.00	582	5.00
333	NB	383	21.00	433	30.00	483	25.00	533	¥ 7.00	583	14.00
			41.00	434	20.00	484	50.00	534	55.00	584	15.00
334	40.00	384						535	20.00	585	NB
335	8.00	385	40.00	435	36.00	485	31.50				
336	20.00	386	35.00	436		486	126.00	536	5.00	586	¥ 25.00
337	91.00	387	25.00	437		487	30.00	537	NB	587	10.00
338	20.00	388	10.00	438	16.00	488	20.00	538	16.00	588	13.00
339	NB	389	26.00	439	15.00	489	NB	539	9.00	589	7.00
340	NB	390	NB	440	17.00	490	12.50	540	NB	590	NB
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344	51.00	394	12.00	444							
345	15.00	395	32.00	445		495	NB	545	20.00		
346	NB	396	NB	446		496	26.00	546	24.00		
347	30.00	397	10.00	447		497	24.00	547	NB		
348	30.00	398	135.00	448	NB NB	498	10.00	548	20.00		
349	NB	399	50.00	449	25.00	499	NB	549	8.00		
350	20.00	400	10.00	450		500	NB	550	NB		
***	20.00	100		.00	30.00						

<sup>\* =</sup> Tie bid (awarded to earliest bid) w/d = Withdrawn (There weren't any this time.)

NB = no bid. If you are interested in any of the unbid lots, and would like to make an offer on any of them, give us a call, or drop us a line. If your offer is fair to our consignor, we will sell you the lot(s) right then. This permits you a second chance, and gives us the opportunity to make our consignors happy.

## MAIL BID SALE IV

**CLOSING DATE OCTOBER 31, 1988** 

THE MONEY TREE 1260 SMITH COURT ROCKY RIVER, OHIO 44116 Telephone (216) 333-3444

## TERMS OF SALE

- 1. This is a mail bid auction sale. All lots will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids will be treated as limits and lots will be purchased below the maximums (really) where competition permits. Lots will be sold on the day indicated.
- 2. Seven (7) % state sales tax will be added to the cost of all lots delivered in Ohio.
- 3. Mail bid auction sales are not approval sales. No lot may be returned without written permission, and such permission must be requested within three (3) days after receipt of lots. By submitting your bids you agree to the Terms of Sale herewith set forth.
- 4. Bidders unknown to us must supply acceptable credit references or a 25% deposit to assure entry of their bids.
- 5. All postage, insurance, and shipping charges, however, will be added to invoices. There will be a 50 cent charge per lot for packing and processing.
- 6. Terms of sale are strictly cash in United States funds. Payment must be made immediately upon notification or upon receipt of material.
- 7. Lots to be mailed to addresses not in the United States or its Territories, will be sent only at the risk of the purchaser. When possible, insurance will be obtained; it must be noted, however, that adequate insurance is often not available by surface mail.
- 8. All books are as described. We acknowledge the possibility (sight) of errors and typographical mistakes, and any errors on our part will be cheerfully corrected. We cannot, however, be responsible for your errors; please check your bid sheet carefully.
- 9. Title to all lots remains with the cataloguer until paid for in full. We reserve the discretionary right to withhold delivery of lots until full payment has been received. We reserve the right to reject any bid from any bidder which we deem is not made in good faith. We reserve the right to reject any bid which, in our opinion, is ridiculous.
- 10. THERE WILL BE A TEN (10) % BUYER'S FEE ADDED TO ALL LOTS.

## BOOK SIZES

FOLIO - 13" and over QUARTO (4to) - 12"

OCTAVO (8vo) - 9"

DUODECIMO (12mo) - 7-5"

SEXTODECIMO (16mo) - 6-7

VIGESIMOQUARTO (24mo) - 5-6"

TRIGESIMOSECUNDO (32mo) - 4-5

## BOOK AND CATALOGUE CONDITIONS

MINT - no signs of wear or defects

VERY FINE (VF) - minimal signs of use

FINE - nice, clean copy, slight signs of use

VERY GOOD (VG) - some wear, no serious defects

GOOD - average used and worn copy, complete

READING COPY (also RESEARCH COPY) - poor, but readable

EX-LIBRARY - with library identification marks

## **ABBREVIATIONS**

CaC - card covers

Est. - price estimates, generally an enclosed sheet

111s. - illustrations within text, generally photographs

numislit- numismatic literature

O.O.A.L. (OUT ON A LIMB) - the Money Tree's journal

o/w - otherwise

pls. - plates, generally full pages of photographs

pp. - pages

PRL - prices realized for auctions

rep. - a reprint, generally with both original and reprint dates

Vals. - values listed, as in a price catalogue

## REFERENCES

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Volume 1: 1822-1900. RAMM Communications. 1988.

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Clain-Stefanelli, Elvira Eliza. NUMISMATIC BIBLIOGRAPHY. Battenberg-Verlag, Munich, 1985.

Collins, Jack. CATALOGUE II. July 4, 1987.

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Rosichan, Richard H. STAMPS AND COINS. 1974.

### CONSIGNMENT FOLKES

- Adams, John W. UNITED STATES NUMISMATIC LITERATURE, Volume 1: Nineteenth Century Auction Catalogs 1982 4to Red quarter cloth, boards 270 pp. IIIs. Near Mint. (85.00) The tour-de-force standard reference. Copy 491 of 500.
- 2 Ahwash, Kamal M. ENCYCLOPEDIA OF UNITED STATES LIBERTY SEATED DIMES 1837-1891. 1977. 4to. Padded grained blue cloth, lettered in silver. 411 pp. Enlarged illustrations throughout. Price guide and photo errata cards laid in. (65.00)

'The deluxe edition, inscribed to 'that grand champion of numismatics', Lester Merkin.' NOTE: the previous description and annotation of this lot were taken from the Kolbe-Merkin sale where this was lot 171. The standard reference, most elusive in this format. VF.

3. Attinelli, Emmanuel Joseph. A BIBLIOGRAPHY OF AMERICAN NUMISMATIC AUCTION CATALOGUES 1828-1875. 1976 Quarterman reprint of the 1876 original Numisgraphics. 8vo. Red cloth, gilt, dj. 123 pp. Near Mint. (25.00)

introduction and 27 page rarity and valuation guide by John Adams. Despite the title, Attineili also included, with annotations, numismatic books and guides from 1787, and catalogues and price lists from 1787. An essential reference for the numismatist.

4. Bowers and Merena Galleries, Inc. SPECIAL COIN LETTER. 57 of 62 consecutive issues from June 1984 (No. 1001) to May 18, 1988 (No. 1062). VF. (25.00)

Missing only issues 1004, 1006, 1015, 1022, and 1023. An impressive run containing a significant quantity of information.

5. Breen, Walter. A COINER'S CAVIAR. Walter Breen's Encyclopedia of United States and Colonial Proof Coins 1722-1977. 1977. 4to. Brown cloth, gilt. 324 pp. 111s. Near mint. (100.00)

Not only the standard reference, and a modern classic, but perhaps the most eagerly sought recent numismatic work.

6. Carter, Mike. The 1921 MORGAN DOLLARS: An In-depth Study. 1983. 12mo. Pictorial boards. 33 pp. 1 photographic plate. VF. (35.00)

Copy 70 of 75 hardbound editions, autographed. A complete record including research on the 'infrequently reeded' variety, mintmarked 21s, Chapman proofs, and Zerbe proofs.

7. Clain-Stefanelli, Elvira and Vladimir. THE BEAUTY AND LORE OF COINS. 1974. 4to. Blue cloth, gilt. DJ. 256 pp. Heavily illustrated. VF. (30.00)

Breathtaking color and monochrome plates. The distinguished authors, and former Curators of Numismatics at the Smithsonian institution, "tried to highlight the human experience in all its intriguing fascinating ways though [numismatics]." The superlative, readable text surveys the full range of numismatics.

8. Clain-Stefanelli, Elvira. SELECT NUMISMATIC BIBLIOGRAPHY. 1965, 1st ed. 8vo. Green cloth. 406 pp. 4962 listings. VF. (15.00)

Still the 'volks-bibliography' as the new edition costs well over \$100 when infrequently available. A required reference, indispensable for anyone with even a peripheral interest in numismatics or numismatic literature.

9. Clain-Stefanelli, Elvira. SELECT NUMISMATIC BIBLIOGRAPHY. 1965, 1st ed. 8vo. Green cloth. 406 pp. 4962 listings. (10.00)

Another copy. Except for a noticeable dried black residue on the front on back cover, VF.

10. Coin World. THE COIN WORLD ALMANAC. Five copies comprising the first four editions cardcovered, 1976-78 & 1984 and the 1984 hardbound edition. 12 mo. Card covers (only) show slightest rub (from being rubbed, what else?). Otherwise VF. (50.00)

The best compendium of information of numismatic resource material; includes addresses of world mints, world numismatic organizations, publications. Includes mint history, legislation, biographies, and a 70-85 page 'Book Edition' bibliography prepared by Frank Katen. Important. The hardbound is limited to 750 copies.

11. Crosby, Sylvester. THE EARLY COINS OF AMERICA. 1974 Quarterman reprint of the 1875 original. Large Quarto. Blue cloth, gilt. 378 pp. 10 pls. VF. (40.00)

C-S 12115\* 'The classic work on the early colnage'. Eric Newman's foreword is an outstanding overview of Crosby, his work, and his influence. Includes a documentary supplement. For the variety collector, the 1974 reprint is tougher than the 1983.

12. Crosby, Sylvester. THE EARLY COINS OF AMERICA. 1983 Quarterman reprint of the 1875 original.

Large Quarto. Gray cloth. 378 pp. 11 pls. Near Mint. (35.00)

Includes facsimiles of the 1873 and 1878 title pages, the proposed introduction, and two of the wrappers for the individual subscription parts. Unless you wish to spend over \$1000 for an original which contains all of the aforementioned annotated material, this is the best alternative.

13. Evans, George. HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES MINT AND AMERICAN COINAGE. 1890 ed. Octavo. Black cloth, gilt. 153 pp. 24 plates, many illustrations. Covers heavily worn at extremities, also dampstained. Front joint weak. Contents VG. (20.00)

Looks like the typical Evans one encounters.

14. Folkes, Martin. ENGLISH COINAGE, SILVER AND GOLD. FAITHFULLY COPIED FROM THE ORIGINALS. SILVER - From the Norman Conquest to Queen Anne (740 Coins). GOLD - From Edward II. to William II. (256 Coins). SUPPLEMENT (207 COINS). 67 PLATES, WITH 1203 COINS, AND THEIR REVERSES. nd (ca. 1870). 4 pp. Frontis. 67 engraved plates. London Society of Antiquaries. Sigler 884. 4to. Quarter morocco and green cloth, gilt. Front joint weak. Only Plate 1 is foxed. Covers trifle rubbed at extremities. Contents Fine. (50,00)

From Mr. Kolbe, 'This volume is of the plates only, as reissued in the nineteenth century, mostly from the very fine original engraved plates made by Francis Perry to accompany the text for the 1763 edition.' From THE MONEY TREE, 'a perfect example of a work whose value far exceeds its price.'

15. Fox, Les and Sue. SILVER DOLLAR FORTUNE TELLING, 1984 EDITION. 1983, 5th edition. 8vo. White cloth. 179 pp. VF. (15.00)

The hardbound edition.

16. Fox, Les and Sue. SILVER DOLLAR FORTUNE TELLING, 10th Anniversary Edition. 1985. 4to. Boards. VF. (100.00)

Limited Edition No. 216 of 2500. Autographed by the authors. Subtitled Ali-New Facts and Figures for 1987 (despite the copyright). 'This is the final edition....' This has brought very high prices whenever (infrequently) offered.

17. Friedberg, Robert et al. GOLD COINS OF THE WORLD. Complete from 600 A.D. to the Present. 1980, 5th edition. 4to. Green cloth, gilt. 484 pp. 111s. Vals. Near Mint. (20.00)

A standard reference most valuable for its identification of medieval gold from Germanic lands, England, Italian states, and Spanish mints.

18. Halperin, James L. N. C. I. GRADING GUIDE. 1986. 8vo. Black cloth, dj. 154 pp. Extensively lilustrated. Near Mint. (30,00)

ALSO included in this lot: CORRECT GRADING OF MORGAN SILVER DOLLARS (1984) by Chuck Link and Dave Woodruff. Jim Halperin led New England Rare Coin Galleries to its zenith. [On the other hand, I have led the Money Tree to a Magnavox]. In 1982, he combined with Steve Ivy to form Heritage Coin Galleries. NCI is one of the certified grading services whose coins are listed in the new Bluesheet.

19. Hancock, Virgil and Larry Spanbauer. STANDARD CATALOG OF UNITED STATES ALTERED AND COUNTERFEIT COINS. 1979. 8vo. Blue leatherette. 221 pp. 111s. Near Mint. (20.00)

Few were as expert on American counterfeits as Hancock. This covers individual issues and series from colonials to gold. Most useful, also this lot includes Hollender's 1983 hardbound Scripophity, a beautifully produced and plated work on collecting stock and bond certificates.

20. Humphreys, Henry Noel. THE COIN COLLECTOR'S MANUAL. 1891. Two volumes. Brown cloth, gilt. 16mo. 726 pp. 11 plates. Rubbed at extremities, otherwise clean, sound VG. (25.00)

A popular work produced in 8 editions between 1853 and 1897. The text covers numismatics from ancient coinage to then current times. Still most useful as a reference with over 180 pages of indices and appendices.

21. Ivy, Steve and Ron (Opie?) Howard .WHAT EVERY SILVER DOLLAR BUYER SHOULD KNOW. 1984. 8vo. Hardbound. 171 pp. 111s. Near Mint. (20.00)

'Every date and every mintmark of every [Morgan and Peace] Silver Doltar is discussed in detail. ...tips on strike, luster, rarity, and investment potential.' Useful for specific information about the best specimens of each date.

22. Judd, J. Hewitt with the collaboration of Walter H. Breen and Abe Kosoff. UNITED STATES PATTERN, EXPERIMENTAL AND TRIAL PIECES. 1965, 3rd ed. 8vo. Blue cloth, gilt (with clear plastic cover). Nearly VF. (20.00)

This lot also includes Taxav's 1963 COUNTERFEIT, MIS-STRUCK AND UNOFFICIAL U.S. COINS.

23. Kagin, Donald H. PRIVATE GOLD COINS AND PATTERNS OF THE UNITED STATES. 1981. 4to. Black cloth, gilt, dj. 406 pp. 111s. Near Mint. (25.00)

Essentially what was Kagin's doctoral thesis is now the standard reference.

24. Karlson, Geneva (ed.). LIBRARY CATALOGUE OF THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION. 1977, 2nd edition. Octavo. CaC. 768 pp. VF. Also including the 33 page SUPPLEMENT TO THE ANA LIBRARY CATALOGUE 1977 through 1980. (25.00)

A valuable aid for the researcher, essentially a facsimile listing of the extensive ANA library card catalogue.

25. Kosoff, Abe. ABE KOSOFF REMEMBERS.... 50 Years of Numismatic Reflections, 1981. Octavo. Red leatherette. 392 pp. VF. (35.00)

"Special Autographed Copy" Limited edition number 294 of 500. "The material herein appeared as a series of articles in Coin World by the author and they are printed herein in a sequence selected by Abe Kosoff to present the reader with an orderly presentation of numismatic history in the twentieth century." Kosoff's first person account of the intrigue surrounding the Farouk sale is compelling.

26. Macneil. Neil. THE PRESIDENT'S MEDAL 1789-1977. 1977. Tall 4to. Blue glossy CaC. 160 pp. 111s., some color. Glossy covers show rubbing and cornering, yet from the standpoint of actual wear, Near Mint. (15.00)

"The quest that produced this study began as a lark. [Yet] these medals mark the ritual, repeated every four years, through which this nation refreshes it commitment to free government."

27. Miller, Wayne. THE MORGAN AND PEACE DOLLAR TEXTBOOK. 8vo. Hardbound. 261 pp. 111s., many in color. Near mint. (25.00)

The best single reference for the series.

28. Miller, Wayne. AN ANALYSIS OF MORGAN AND PEACE DOLLARS. 1976. 8vo. Black CaC. 204 pp. Ills, some in color. Glossy covers show rubbing, o/w Nearly VF. (15.00)

Despite the pricing being out of date, the date-by-date guide to rarity, strike, and surfaces make Miller the second best reference, exceeded only by his subsequent *Textbook* 

29. Needleman, Saul B. (ed.). PERSPECTIVES IN NUMISMATICS. Studies Presented to the Chicago Coin Club. 1986. 12mo. CaC. 364 pp. Near Mint. Ills. (15.00)

The Chicago Coin Club has a rich heritage. In the European tradition of classical numismatics, prominent figres write papers to honor noteworthy numismatic occasions. 21 papers are offered here, authors such as Yeoman, Bowers, Sear, Lhotka, Newman, Doty, E. Clain-Stefanelli, and Gillilland. Topics cover ancients, English merchant tokens, notgeld, U.S. copper and tokens.

30. Newman, Eric and Kenneth E. Bressett. THE FANTASTIC 1804 DOLLAR. 8vo. Tan cloth. 144 pp. 111s. VF. (15.00)

Too often taken for granted, an outstanding, readable reference.

31. THE NUMISMATIST. 1888-1893. Volumes I-VI. The 1963 reprint. 8vo. Red cloth, gilt. VF. (75.00)

This scarce reprint is infrequently offered. As there are probably fewer than 25 complete sets of the original first six volumes, most of them quite fragile [and rarely offered], this is the only opportunity for the collector to obtain a usable set. The copy in our second sale brought \$110.00 on heavy competition.

32. Raymond, Wayte. STANDARD PREMIUM LIST OF ALL RARE UNITED STATES AND EARLY AMERICAN COINS. (4 issues). 1932, second edition; 1934, third edition; 1936, fifth edition; 1939, seventh edition. Octavo. Tan CaC. (20.00)

Raymond's equivalent of the 'Bluebook' buying guides are decidedly scarcer than the usually seen card-covered <u>Standard Price Lists</u>. These are clean, sound copies except for occasional cover pencil marks, and owner's stamp. BUT, sadly, the 1932 edition is missing a quarter of the back cover, and has waterstaining for the last four pages.

- 33. Raymond, Wayte. STANDARD PRICE LIST OF UNITED STATES COINS. (5 issues). 1934 (titled STANDARD CATALOGUE), fifth edition; 1936, 8th ed.; 1939, 13th ed.; 1940, 14th ed.; 1949. The copies are sound and clean, but the 1934 copy has worn covers. (12.00)
- 34. Reed, Mort. ODD AND CURIOUS.... 1979. Octavo. Hardbound. 127 pp. IIIs. Near Mint. (12.00)
  A useful reprint of the Reed's illustrated vignettes from COIN WORLD. Reed's subtitle "A Compendium of Facts Relating to the Currency of the World which Clearly Show That Money Offers More than Mere Purchasing Power".
- 35. Scott & Co. THE COIN COLLECTOR'S JOURNAL. Illustrated. Vol. 1. 1875-1876. Original blue

cloth, gilt. 208 pp. 111s. Spine faded and chipped at ends. Contents sound and Fine. (75.00)

Volume I was edited by Frossard (Proskey edited it until its demise in 1888). Noteworthy articles on colonials of New England, Vermont, Connecticut, New Jersey, New York, Nova Constellatio, and Rosa Americanas. Also, English hammered colnage and Centennial medals. Reviews of significant coin sales: Cohen, Jewett, Haseitine's 'Centennial Sales', Strobridge's Parmelee (Brevoort) sale, and Cogan's June sale of important Candiana. A nice copy.

36. Sheldon, M.D., William H. with Dorothy I. Paschal and Walter Breen. PENNY WHIMSY. 1958. Octavo. Tan cloth, gilt. 339 pp. 51 plates. Covers lightly soiled and cornered, contents VF. (50,00)

Most everyone is familiar with this legendary reference. Perhaps the bibliophile may not be aware that the 9 page Chapter 3 is "Review of the Principal Cent Literature", followed by a 2 page "Bibliography". Sheldon's comments are important for bibliophile and large-cent-ophile (?) alike.

- 37. Swiatek, Anthony. THE WALKING LIBERTY HALF DOLLAR. 1983. 8vo. CaC. 72 pp. VF. (12.00) Primarily a date-by-date guide of mint state values, striking characteristics, and 'investment' outlook.
- 38. Swiatek, Anthony and Walter Breen. THE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF UNITED STATES SILVER & GOLD COMMEMORATIVE COINS 1892 TO 1954. 1981. 4to. Black cloth (showing some easily removable chalk streaks), DJ. 362 pp. Extensively illustrated. Other than "chalk", near Mint. (25.00)

Not only the standard reference guide, but also a most readable history.

39 Thian, Raphael. REGISTER OF THE CONFEDERATE DEBT. 1972 Quarterman reprint of the 1880 original. 8vo. Gray bords. 190 pp. Charts. Fine. (15.00)

Includes a 29 page introduction by Douglas Ball giving a living history of this incredibly rare volume of which only five originals are known. Most important.

40. Travers, Scott. (2 books). RARE COIN INVESTMENT STRATEGY. 1986. 8vo. Cloth and boards, gilt, dj. 136 pp. Near Mint. and THE COIN COLLECTOR'S SURVIVAL MANUAL. 1985. 8vo. Pictorial CaC. 198 pp. VF. (25.00)

This lot also includes COLLECTOR/INVESTOR GUIDEBOOK AND INVENTORY, by Sanford Durst, 1977, "It is the opinion of the publisher [Durst] that paper dust jackets are ecologically wasteful".

- 41. White, Weiman. THE LIBERTY SEATED DOLLAR 1840-1873. 1985. 8vo, CaC. 83 pp. VF. (12.00)
  There is a distinct shortage of readily available information about Liberty Seated Dollars. White offers important date-by-date information: estimated survival, value, historical notes, and 'investment' potential.
- 42. Wilson, Neill C. (2 books) 400 CALIFORNIA STREET. 1964. 8vo. Blue cloth, gilt. 87 pp. 111s. AND 400 CALIFORNIA STREET. A Century Plus Five. 1969. 8vo. Tan cloth, gilt. 106 pp. 111s. Both Near Mint (appropriately enough). (50.00)

'The Story of the Bank of California, Mational Association and its First 100 Years in the Financial Development of the Pacific Coast.' Both are master examples of the binder's art. Far from the usual, dry presentations of the genre, Wilson's style and use of pertinent, extensive illustrations is reminiscent of a Dave Bowers opus. Significant and scarce.

- 43. Ten Books about United States Coinage including 3 by Dave Bowers. COLLECTING RARE COINS FOR PROFIT, 1975 1st edition, 2 copies of HIGH PROFITS FROM RARE COIN INVESTMENT, 1977 and 1983, also The Foxes 1982 Fight Inflation with SILVER DOLLARS, the remainder very basic guides. (15.00)
- 44. A Konvolut of 4 books. [1]. Index to the Numismatist 1888-1978, [2] Hanks, The Comprehensive Catalog...of Modern Mexican Coins, 1976, [3] Cox. Coins from the Excavations at Curium, 1932-1953. ANS NNM-145. [4] Yeoman, Moneys of the Bible. (20.00)

FOLLOWING is a grouping of Wayte Raymond's THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS.... Before the REDBOOK. this was the collector's major reference. It is quite an unusual opportunity to find such an extensive run. The 1954-55 edition is accompanied by something unusual. To save time in cataloguing, the formats for each edition are identical: each is octavo with cloth covers. Each is about 225 pages, profusely illustrated (rumor has it that many were cuttings from plated Chapman catalogues). Unless noted, these are sound with clean contents; the conditions are Fine or better.

45. Raymond, Wayte. THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS & CURRENCY, 1935 Edition. 1934, First edition. Slight rubbing at extremities. Covers bright and clean. Covers VG, contents Fine. (50.00)

46. Raymond, Wayte. THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS & CURRENCY, 1936 edition. 1935, 2nd edition. (45.00)

Covers bright and clean with the most insignificant wear. From pages 77 to 101 (commems and gold, there are pencilled check marks, and the pages are minutely pulled at the sewn binding). Still a Fine copy of a scarce edition.

47. Raymond, Wayte. THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS & CURRENCY, 1937. 1936, 3rd edition. (35.00)

The covers essentially bright and clean. The endpapers are solled with tape residue. Many prices pencilled in margin. The binding absolutely sound. Call the covers better than Fine, the contents VG.

48. Raymond, Wayte. THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS & CURRENCY, 1938. 1937, 4th ed. (25.00)

The covers bright with occasional spotting. The contents like the above 2nd edition. Overall, a bright VG.

49. Raymond, Wayte. THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS AND CURRENCY For you variety collectors, they began to spell out AND], 1939, 1938, 5th ed. (40.00)

With dust jacket. The bad news: the purple covers show minute fading at the extreme top and bottom of the spine, the end papers are evenly faded from age. The good news: the contents are virtually pristine; the covers otherwise bright and clean. A superior example. VF.

50. Raymond, Wayte. THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS AND TOKENS, 1940. 1939, 6th ed. (30.00)

Covers essentially bright and clean, glit faded from spine. Other than typically faded end papers. Contents clean and binding perfect. The covers Fine, the contents VF. The 1940 to 1942 editions are the most in-demand of the series because of the 55 page section on Hard Times and Merchants' Tokens.

51. Raymond, Wayte. THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS AND TOKENS, 1941. 1940, 7th ed. (40.00)

With DJ. But for the typically faded end papers, VF or better. The covers and gilt are pristine. The contents nearly mint, but for foxing on the first page. This is the nicest of the early editions we have seen.

52. Raymond, Wayte. THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS AND TOKENS, 1942. 1941, 8th ed. (35.00)

The covers solled and rubbed, the contents clean and bright, the binding sound. However, you ask, 'How can these biblio-goniffs estimate it at \$35.00?' Because, accompanying this lot is the elusive 1943 Supplement to the Standard Catalogue.... Due to the paper and manpower shortage in WW II, no separate 1943 catalogue was issued.

53. Raymond, Wayte. 3 books. THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS. 1944 (Fine), 1945 (VF), 1946 (VG). (30.00)

The copies are all sound and essentially clean, but the inside back cover has pencil scribbling done either by an infant or a numismatist.

54. Raymond, Wayte. THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS, 1947. 1946, 12 ed., (15.00)

A VF copy in all respects.

55. Raymond, Wayte. 3 books. THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS. 1949, 1950, 1951. (20.00)

These 13th to 15th editions have VG covers, with sound bindings and Fine or better contents. This lot includes also includes a heavily used 1953 with half a page cut out.

56. Raymond, Wayte. THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS 1954:55. 1954. (30.00)

This lot consists of two books: a Fine copy of the usually found version, and a copy with a blank cover and blank contents. Apparently, the dummy was either a binder's proof or was sent out with a dust cover as a display copy. The cover, binding, and paper of both books are identical. Regardless, it is a curiosity. Mark Hoffman, the Mormon document forger, could have a field day with the dummy copy, maybe producing a Raymond with annotations by Sylvester Crosby and Lucretia Borgia.

57. Raymond, O.E. THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS, Eighteenth Edition. 1957. (10.00)

After Wayte Raymond's death, this final edition, which was produced under the supervision of John Ford with research by Waiter Breen (although Ford's and Breen's involvement with the Raymond book went back several years) is considered the most

valuable of the STANDARD CATALOGUES because of the important additional research and information contained herein. But for slightly faded covers, a VF copy.

# CONSIGNMENT FOLKES - THE AUCTION CATALOGUES

NOTE: In the following grouping are many deluxe and special edition auction catalogues, all in superb condition. The 19th century auction catalogues are all in relatively decent condition. They are complete and basically sound. They may have chipped covers and backstrips, with some minor fading; the wear is appropriate to catalogues over 100 years old.

58. American Art Galleries/Anderson Galleries, Inc. COLLECTION OF THE LATE CHARLES P. SENTER: Rare Medals and Orders of Chivalry. October 27, 1933. 8vo. 32 pp. 248 lots. 4 plates. Oversized covers chipped at overlap, contents VF. (35.00)

A most important offering early American historical medals featuring 15 medals presented to North American Indian chiefs, including the 1793 Washington oval medal by Richardson, and important Washingtonia with 3 "Season" silver medals. ALSO the 2 1970 Cardinal Spellman never-held-sales by Harmer Rooke.

59. 3 ANA SALES: Steve Ivy, 1980, Kagin's 1983 and 1986, sales. All large format. Only the 1983 sans PRL. All near Mint. (25.00)

These recent sales tended not to dispersed as freely as those earlier. NOTE: we have observed an uncommonly large number of waterstained 1980 Ivy ANA sales. This one is not.

60. Bangs, Merwin & Co. GEORGE S. MERRITT and JOSEPH W. MAUTERSTOCK COLLECTIONS. September 30, 1867. 20 pp. 560 lots. (25.00)

Adams/Attineill: R-7 (4-12 known)

- 61. Bangs, Merwin & Co. Catalogue of a Valuable Collection of Books. June 17, 1874. 26 pp. 311 lots. (10.00)
- 62. Bangs & Co. Three sales of autographs. A). THE ROBINSON COLLECTION OF AUTOGRAPHS. June 17, 1883. 35 pp. 369 lots. B). THE DUKE COLLECTION. November 12-13, 1886. 54 pp. 1150 lots. C). CATALOGUE OF WAR LETTERS OF LEADERS IN THE GREAT CIVIL WAR. April 9, 1900. 35 pp. 349 lots. (20,00)

Despite not being directly numismatic, many of the historical figures are numismatically important. (For example, many of the figures actually used coins)

63. Bowers and Ruddy Galleries, Inc. THE CELEBRATED JOHN W. ADAMS COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES LARGE CENTS OF THE YEAR 1794. Quarto. Cream grained cloth, gilt. 134 pp. 75 lots. 2 glossy interleaved color photographic plates. Enlarged illustrations. Near Mint. (275.00)

Special Limited Library Edition. Copy 91 of 258 copies. Autographed by John W. Adams, Q. David Bowers, and Richard Bagg. 55 of the cents are census coins, with 5 *linest knowns* and there are 48 of 58 collectible Sheldon varieties. BUT, "Adams overriding purpose was to collect collectors. Using 1794 as a unifying theme, he was able to assemble specimens owned by virtually every large cent collector of consequence since the hobby began", such as Maris, Beckwith, Haseltine, and Parmelee. A superb reference source in a most desirable format. It should be noted that in the recent Kolbe Sale XXXVI, Abe Kosoff's copy (number 111) brought \$425.00.

64 Bowers and Ruddy Galleries, Inc. THE GARRETT COLLECTION SALES. Parts 1-4. 1979-1981. 4to. Four volumes complete. Black cloth, gilt. Near Mint. (175.00)

The special hardbound editions. For those who think that "defuxe" or hardbound editions are an affectation, I have found them invaluable for reference. Traditional card-covered sales do not hold up to regular usage. The bound sales, rather than remaining shellfound pseudo-museum pieces, are perfect for using.

65 Bowers and Ruddy Galleries, Inc. THE HENRY H. CLIFFORD COLLECTION. COINS OF THE AMERICAN WEST. March 18-20, 1982. Quarto. Black grained cloth, gilt. 2574 lots. Prl. bound in. 12 color plates. Ills. Near Mint. (125.00)

Deluxe library Edition. Do not confuse this with the recent B&M special editions. This scarce edition was not produced in quantity. Because the text is so extensive and comprehensive, Clifford's 475 lots comprise about two-thirds of the 217 pages of the catalogue. A veritable textbook for private and territorial Western numismatica.

66. Bowers and Ruddy Galleries, Inc. THE U. S. GOLD COIN COLLECTION [LOUIS ELIASBERG]. October

27-29, 1982. 4to. Blue textured cloth, gilt. 334 pp. 1074 lots, Prl. 44 full-color plates. Near Mint. (125,00)

Deluxe library Edition. As above, another scarce limited edition. The importance of the sale obligates one who uses his catalogues to have this edition. Just imagine what the backstrip and binding of your softbound copy would look like with even moderate use

67. Bowers and Merena. THE VIRGIL BRAND COLLECTION. PART I: AMERICAN COINS. November 7,1983. Quarto. Brown cloth, gilt. 120 pp. 943 lots, Prl. bound in. 111s. Near Mint. (35.00)

The special hardbound edition. The sale, which brought \$1.8 million, offers extensive text and featured outstanding U. S. gold. An 1819 5D/50 brought \$55,000 (and was given 2 pages of text). Also featured were an 1829 \$5.00 on a large flan, an unique 1832 13 star proof \$5.00. The storied 1862 British Columbia \$10.00, to which 11 pages was devoted, brought \$88,000.

68. Bowers and Merena. THE VIRGIL BRAND COLLECTION. PART II: AMERICAN COINS. June 18, 1984. Quarto. Brown cloth, gift. 212 pp. 1627 lots, Prl. bound in. 111s. Near Mint. (35.00)

The special hardbound edition. An absolutely incredible sale and reference for colonials and private and territorial gold: Rosa Americana rarities with text, the unique six Washington Seasons proof medals, Templeton Reid and Bechtler gold.

69. Bowers and Merena. THE FREDERICK B. TAYLOR COLLECTION. Quarto. Brown cloth, gilt. March 26-28, 1987. 317 pp. 3915 lots. 3 color plates. Ills. Near Mint. (65.00)

The special hardbound edition. Another of the modern sales destined to be a classic for its offerings and outstanding text. "...the finest collection [Warren Baker's] of blacksmith coppers offered for public sale and the finest collection ever assembled"; 130 iots extensively catalogued by Michael Oppenheim. The 753 iots of early American coins include "the finest collection [of Vermont coppers] ever to be auctioned.... The Massachusetts coppers are ilkewise choice.... The New Jersey series is one of the largest ever assembled privately.... The series of Connecticut coppers is outstanding...and contains 88% of all known varieties...."

70. Bowers and Merena. THE NORWEB COLLECTION, PART I: EARLY AMERICAN AND U. S. COINS. October 12-13, 1987. 4to. Brown cloth, gilt. 409 pp. 1411 lots, Prl. 8 color pls. 111s. Mint. (65.00)

The special hardbound edition. The three Norweb sales will be modern classics. Outstanding half cents, including 'the finest collection of proofs ever to cross the auction block'. This collection is responsible for the renewed interest in 'the little half sisters', and the concomitant price increase for its important numbrail.

71. Bowers and Merena. THE NORWEB COLLECTION, PART II: EARLY AMERICAN AND U. S. COINS. March 24-25, 1988. 4to. Brown cloth, gilt. 291 pp. 1270 lots, Prl. 6 color pls. 111s. Mint. (65.00)

The special hardbound edition. "The second part of the Norweb Collection of colonial coins features St. Patrick coppers, Rosa Americana issues, Massachusetts copper coinage, Connecticut copper coinage, Continental currency pieces, and the outstanding New York-related Confederatio and Immune Columbia series." Also featured are magnificent gold, 1884 and 1885 trade dollars, amazing bust and seated liberty quarters with both an 1827 original and restrike.

72. Bowers and Merena. THE NORWEB COLLECTION, PART II: EARLY AMERICAN AND U. S. COINS. March 24-25, 1988. (65.00)

The special hardbound edition. Another as above.

- 73. Bowers and Merena. THE AUBREY AND ADELINE BEBEE COLLECTION: The 1987 A. N. A. SALE. August 26-29, 1987. 320 pp. 4621 lots, w/Prl. 6 color plates. Near Mint. (65.00)

  The special hardbound edition.
- 74. Bowers and Merena. THE EBENEZER MILTON SAUNDERS COLLECTION. November 9-11, 1987. 293 pp. 3525 lots, w/Pr1. 2 color plates. Near Mint. (45.00)

  The special hardbound edition.
- 75. Bowers and Merena, Inc. THE LLOYD M. HIGGINS, M.D. COLLECTION. January 28-30, 1988. 4to. Brown cloth, gilt. 189 pp. 2600 lots, Prl. 2 color plates. Near Mint. (45.00)

The special hardbound edition. BUT, the contents have been bound in upside down (or perhaps the cover was bound upside down. Regardless, do NOT buy this copy if you are dyslexic.) - a B & M error.

- 76. Bowers and Merena. THE GUIA COLLECTION. March 23, 1988. 128 pp. 824 lots. 4 color pls. (45.00) The special hardbound edition. One of the finest collections of world gold coins ever assembled by a single individual. Excellent Germanic, Spanish empire, and Italian states.
- 77. Chapman, S. H. and H. E. S. NORRIS, Esq. May 17, 1894. 33 pp. 733 lots. Clean, but minor chipping. Fine. (20.00)

Nice half cents (with original 1836 and 1849 proofs) and large cents. EF 1804 and 1823 quarters. Also the last 11 lots are bulk lots totalling 4500 large cents from the Chapmans' stock. Adams - C+.

- 78. Chapman, S. H. and H. BOURQUIN, JOHNSTON, AND ELWELL. December 13, 1897. 37 pp. 750 lots. Covers show a few chips. Fine. (20.00)
  - Impressive Canadian medals with 5 'side view' bank tokens, an unc Oak Tree Shitting, assay medals, and fair large cents.
- 79. Chapman, S. H. THE [ARTHUR] SARGENT COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES COINS. 1975 B & B reprint of the June 20, 1913 original. Small format. CaC. 45 pp. 732 lots. 9 reprint plates. (25.00)
- Adams B+. Important large cents with numerous 1794s, also varieties C-14L, S-53, S-37, VF "Jefferson head". Neat early gold. Good text. Reprint copy 57 of 100.
- 80. Chapman, S. H. [DR. HENRY W. BECKWITH] THE COLLECTION OF CENTS OF THE UNITED STATES IN SUPERLATIVE CONDITION. 1975 B & B reprint of the April 27, 1923 original. Small format. CaC. 23 pp. 119 + 4 lots w/Prl. 6 reprint plates. VF. (35.00)
- Adams A, 'The finest collection of high condition cents of all time.' 72 of the cents illustrated both sides. Important text. Reprint copy 101 of 150.
- 81. Chapman, Henry. ZIMMERMAN, DOOLAN, YOUNG, GOLDSTEIN, ZOLOTZEFF, AND GEYER. November 17-18, 1932. 78 pp. 1431 lots. VF. (20.00)

Zimmerman's impressive ancient Roman, some decent states colonials, and American medals. This was the last sale H. Chapman catalogued; William C. Morley of Philadelphia was the auctioneer. The copies of this sale which we have seen have generally been waterstained or badly discolored. This is in exceptional condition for a Chapman sale.

- 82. Cogan, Edward. November 11, 1872. 31 pp. 719 lots. (15.00) Adams: C+. Adams/Attinelli: R-5.
- 83. Early American Coppers Club. 3 annual E.A.C Convention sales: 1977, 1982, and 1983. Each is large format, self-covered. About 85 total pp. 1400+ lots. Essentially VF. (20.00)

EAC annual sales offer precisely graded, correctly attributed half cents and large cents with some colonials, and numismatic literature. The sales are rather elusive as EAC'ers just don't part with them. Most instructive.

34. Early American Coppers Club. 1984 EAC CONVENTION SALE. March 31, 1984. Large format. CaC. 35 pp. 511 lots. With supplement - 4 color photographic plates. VF. (30.00)

For recent EAC annual conventions, a small number of full color phographic plates, generally illustrating the obverses and reverses of 40 coins, have been made available. These beautiful plates are on heavy photographers' paper.

85. Elder, Thomas L. 2 Copies of THE NEW RARE COIN BOOK: A Comprehensive Work on Numismatics, Coin Premiums, Numismatists, and Coin Collecting. 1934. Octavo. CaC. 97 pp. 28 plates of woodcuts. Each nearly VF. (20.00)

While most of the book is a quasi-Mehi "Star Rare Coin catalogue", it does include 14 pages of basic numismatic text. The previous edition was issued in 1913, this is a nice example of "volks-numislit" of the time.

- 86. Frossard, Ed. \*4. June 27, 1879, 19 pp. 439 lots. (15.00) Adams: C. A rather tough early Frossard.
- 87. Frossard, Ed. SALE 37: THE NUMISMATIC COLLECTION OF ED. FROSSARD. 1975 B & B reprint of the October 2-3, 1884 original. 77 pp. 1038 lots w/Prl. 9 glossy reprint plates. VF (25.00)

Adams - A+. Reprint copy 83 of 100. Most noteworthy for Frossard's 51 1794 cents attributed with Maris and with Frossard's monograph. Also impressive U. S. medals and colonials.

- S8. Frossard, Ed. #127: MONROE WALTERS. September 27, 1894. 25 pp. 451 lots. (15.00) Adams: C+. A neat offering of plated auction catalogues. Also neat pre-Confederation Canadian.
- 89. Frossard, Ed. #141: FRED BARMAN. October, 27, 1896. 28 pp. 569 lots. (15.00)

  Adams: B-, 7 'Side View' Canadian bank tokens 'from the finest and most complete set...ever offered at auction', 110 lots of nice large cents 'free of die-duplicates'.
- 90. Kagin's. 1977 ANA SALE. August 23-27, 1977. 8vo. Textured brown cloth, gilt. (633) pp. 5446 lots. 16 color & 99 halftone pls. Near Mint. (45.00)

The deluxe library edition.

91. Kagin's. 1986 A. N. A. SALE. August 6-9, 1986. 4to. Blue cloth, gilt. 313 pp. 3867 lots. Prl bound in. 17 color plates. Near Mint (Kagin's was located in San Francisco at the time). (50.00)

The deluxe hardbound post-sale edition. The cataloguers included Del Bland, Walter Breen, and George Fuld.

92. Mehl, B. Max. NINETY-FIRST QUALITY AUCTION SALE: THE SAMUEL H. MC VITTY COLLECTION. March 22, 1938. Small format. CaC. 90 pp. 2300 lots. IIIs. (Also 3 Copies of THE STAR RARE COIN ENCYCLOPEDIA AND PREMIUM CATALOGUE. 28th, 32nd, and 37th editions, one is "below average" circulated, the other two nice VGs.) Nearly VF. (20.00)

61 lots of excellent half cents with a gem 1793 G-4; "A Really Fine Collection" of large cents with "Jefferson" head and 50 quality "Sheldon" dates; good Overton halves and bust dollars.

93. Mehl, B. Max. The of the Large and Valuable Collection of United States of Coins of MR. P.H. GRIFFITH, Los Angeles. March 20, 1912. Large format, CaC. 76 pp. 1805 lots. Frontis portraits of Griffith and Mehl. 2 pls. Small piece torn from front cover corner, minor soiling on front flyleaf. Chipped at backstrip, contents Fine. (40.00)

Sale 19, the first plated, large format Mehi sale. Announcement slip laid in. "Mr. Griffith [Griffith Park in LA] specialized in Mint Marks and varieties, and the Collection is one of the most complete of its kind ever offered." Excellent early silver in all denominations, excellent private and territorial gold, and "a beautiful collection" of large cents. A decent copy of an elusive sale.

94. Mehl, B. Max. The W.F. DUNHAM Collection. June 3, 1941. Large format. Gold CaC. 287 pp. 4169 lots. Prl. 1500 lots priced in ink. Frontis. 2 pls. Fine. (65.00)

A magnificent offering. The Dexter 1804 dollar & 13 pages of text; 1822 \$5.00 & 4 pp. of text; important half cents, encased postage, Breton tokens, Hard times tokens. Mehl's best catalogued and most heralded sale. An American numismatic milestone (we are a numismatic milistone). A really nice copy.

95. Mehl, B. Max. The WILL W. NEIL Collection. June 17, 1947. Large format. CaC. 212 pp. 3461 lots, priced in pencil. VG. (35.00)

Important for finest known 1794 dollar, an 1804 dollar, both types of 1827 quarters, 2 1792 cents (with and without sliver center), excellent attributed and provenanced large cents, important colonials, and the Tremblay complete set of The Numismatist. ALSO Mehl's 1951 Farouk, Rappaport, Diamond, Field... sale featuring good copper and orders & medals. Nearly Fine.

96. Merkin, Lester. LOUIS HELFENSTEIN COLLECTION OF LARGE CENTS. August 14, 1964. 8vo. Pictorial card covers. 64 pp. 332 lots, Prl. 111s. Near Mint. (25.00)

From Jack Collins, "This landmark sale was catalogued by Walter Breen, then extensively revised and the coins regraded by C. Douglas Smith." Required for the copper collector for the outstanding cataloguing as well as the magnificent cents. The first U.S. auction sale with full-color covers.

97. NASCA. THE WAYTE RAYMOND SALES I-IV. December 1977-December 1978. 4to. Blue cloth, gilt. VF. (100.00)

The deluxe edition. The only other copy I have personally seen is in the Champa library, where his notes indicate that only 53 deluxe copies were issued. We do not have a record of another being offered. The 4 sales are noteworthy and in demand by themselves. This format features a solid binding that will stand up to real use. We have tried to restrict our use of scarce and rare, one may accurately be applied here.

98. New York Stamp and Coin Co. THE [LORIN G.] PARMELEE COLLECTION OF AMERICAN COINS. 1975 B & B reprint of the June 25-27, 1890 original. Octavo. Blue CaC. 96 pp. 1443 lots. Priced in margin. 13 glossy reprint plates. VF (20.00)

A key sale featuring 260 outstanding patterns; 330 colonials with a Brasher Doubloon, the four unique Nova Constellatio proofs, outstanding states coinage, especially 80 attributed NJ coppers; excellent early gold. Adams - A+. Reprint copy 182 of 250. The B & B reprints of early American catalogues are high quality and quite faithful to the originals.

99. Numismatic Gallery. THE OUTSTANDING COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES LARGE CENTS Formed by Mr. Oscar Pearl: For Sale at Fixed Prices. Quarto. Orange cloth, black labels lettered in gilt. 24, XL pages, 23 plates. VF. (60.00)

The deluxe edition. Kenneth W. Lee's personal copy. A neat reference also containing two reprints: Crosby's 1897 AJN monograph on the 1793 cents and half cent, and S. H. Chapman's The Cents of 1794. This lot also includes a VF copy of the typically seen softcover version.

100. Paramount, Rarcoa, Stack's, and Superior. AUCTION 79 through AUCTION 87. Each sale 2000 lots. All with Prl. Fine. (60.00)

Each of the above firms contibutes 500 lots to the "Apostrophe" sales held each year before the A.N.A. The offerings are extremely rare, choice, and/or expensive - a valuable resource and research tool. In many years, these influential sales were superior to the actual A.N.A. sale. All are extensively illustrated, in color and monochrome. This lot includes 2 sets of the 5 volume 1977 A.N.A. sale by Kagins.

- Proskey, David. THE HAINES COLLECTION. November 22, 1886. 23 pp. 733 lots. (20.00)
   Adams: C, 'Continental paper. Stamps. RR catalogues'. Sale number 4 of only 5 listed Proskey coin sales.
- 102. Scott & Company. October 23-24, 1877. 62 pp. 770 lots. Illustrated with woodcuts. (20.00)

  The discovery specimen of the 1793 'clover leaf cent', outstanding centennial medals, and Wright & Bale's Franklin medallion.
  Catalogued by David Proskey. Adams: B-.
- 103. Scott & Company. COIN SALE. December 9-10, 1878. 25 pp. 785 lots. Priced copy. (15.00) Catalogued by David Proskey. Adams: C.
- 104. Sotheby & Co. [KING FAROUK] The Palace Collections of Egypt. Catalogue of the Highly Important and Extremely Valuable Collection of Coins and Medals, the Property of the Republic of Egypt. February 24-March 6, 1954. 8vo. Brown three-quarter morocco, gilt, raised spine bands, additional title in French. 306 pp. 2798 lots. 37 plates. VF. (150.00)

A most handsome copy of the legendary sale. Ex-Kolbe/Spink 1985, lot 141 (\$160,00). The intrigue surrounding the Farouk sale is the numismatic adventure that could be made into a financially successful book or movie with genuine popular appeal.

105. Sotheby & Co. [KING FAROUK] The Palace Collections of Egypt. Catalogue of the Highly Important and Extremely Valuable Collection of Coins and Medals, the Property of the Republic of Egypt. February 24-March 6, 1954. 8vo. Green CaC. 306 pp. 2798 lots, Pri. 37 plates. VF. (30.00)

The reprint edition. Other than the covers being a lighter green, the reprint is virtually indistinguishable from the original.

106. Stack's. Selections from the J. PIERPONT MORGAN COLLECTION: GREEK AND ROMAN COINS. September 14, 1983. 55 pp. 101 lots w/Prl. 3 color plates. VF. (10.00)

The sale, in which most lots have both sides illustrated, features extensive text. The gold, most of which is ex-Strozzi, is primarily aureii of the first two centuries. Heavy emphasis is on coinage of Magna Graeca and Sicily.

107 Stack's DR. GEORGE F. OVIEDO, JR. COLLECTION OF HALF DOLLARS. September 14-15, 1983. 140 pp. 570 lots w Pri IIIs. VF. (10.00)

116 well-provenanced superb bust halves with good text: 6 1795s, 2 1796s, EF 1797, 2 1818/17 proofs, EF 1838-O, ex-WGC. 49 Carolina gold \$5 00s. Sommer Islands shilling, choice Lord Baltimore 6d and 4d, Higley copper.

108 Stack's THE AMON G. CARTER, JR. FAMILY COLLECTION. January 18-21, 1984. 316 pp. 1798 lots with 28 color plates. VE. [15:00]

The finest and most complete set of dollars from 1794 yet offered, most from the Mehl's 1947 Nell sale and the 1950 Golden Jubilee. finest-known 1794, proofs 1801-1803, Adams-Carter 1804, 1884 and 1885 Trade Dollars, VF 1870-S. Amazing gold. 1843 proof set from cent to eagle 31 slugs. Significant Latin American gold. A great modern sale.

- Stack's Selections from the HERMAN HALPERN COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES LARGE CENTS Public Auction Sale. March 17-18, 1987. 141 pp. 1351 lots. 4 color plates. VF. (20.00)
- 153 important, attributed well-provenanced cents from the legendary collection: A 1794 "starred reverse" and many census coins. Also important bust halves and bust dollars. This lot also includes 3 other 1987 Stack's sales: THE ESTATE OF CORRADO ROMANO, featuring a 1792 silver cent cent (with extensive text); the January 14-15 sale with a 1792 "fusible alloy" cent and important patterns, and 2 copies of the L. S. RUDER COLLECTION with neat colonials and 180 attributed large cents.
- 110 Stack's THE THREE CATALOGUES OF THE STACK'S 50th ANNIVERSARY SALE. October 22-24, 1985. VF (15.00)
- (1). THE JIMMY HAYES COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES SILVER COINS. 55 pp. 128 lots w/Prl. 6 color plates. \*The Finest Quality\* Collection ever sold at auction\*. 'Finest known's abound: 1792 half disme, 1804 quarter. Also mint state 1794 half and dollar. (2). THE PRIMARY BARTLE COLLECTION & THE CARL ZELSON COLLECTION. 124 pp. 750 lots w/Prl. 8 color plates. Complete run of proof sets from 1858-1890. Good gold. Pan-Pac set in copper frame. (3). THE ZURICH COLLECTION OF FOREIGN GOLD & SILVER COINS... 131 pp. 780 lots w/Prl. 12 color plates. 200 superb lots of British, especially strong in hammered and milled. Excellent Germanic, European, and Latin American.
- Superior Stamp and Coin. THE DR. CHARLES L. RUBY COLLECTION, Part 111. February 10-12, 1975. 180 pp. 2290 lots, Pri. 78 pis, with 9 of large cents. But for light cover soiling, VF. (15.00)
- 327 well-provenanced, attributed large cents (priced in margin): 16 1793s, 49 1794s (a starred reverse). Good early gold. Good Roman Republican and Imperial.
- Superior Galleries. THE JERRY BUSS COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES COINS. January 28-30, 1985 4to Black leatherette. Foil medal inset. 255 pp. 2269 lots w/Prl. 6 color pls. Near Mint. (50.00) The deluxe hardbound edition. Includes a 1913 liberty head nickel, an 1894S dime, and the idler 1804 dollar.

113. Superior. THE H. W. BLEVINS ESTATE AND THE GEORGE BODWAY COLLECTION. June 5-8, 1988, 325 pp. 4315 lots. 4 color pls. Back cover cornered, spine shows a small split, contents VF. (15.00)

Destined to be a classic. The Blevins collection of Early Half Dollars is 573 lots of attributed bust halves featuring 40 (i) 1795s with 26 of the 32 varieties, also an 1838-O. 236 attributed bust dollars. Much valuable text is included for both. Also included are 2 other Superior sales. (1). THE MOREIRA COLLECTION SALE. May 31-June 1, 1987. Extensive Mexican silver and gold. (2). THE PCGS SALE. September 22, 1987. 18 pp of listings. 939 lots w/Prl. No text, no illustrations, no soul.

## FOLKES - Redbooks, Bluebooks, and Bibliophilic References

FOLLOWING is a complete set of **Redbooks**. Again to save time and space which will leave more room for annotations (heh-heh-heh), the formats and layouts are identical. Each is bound in red cloth, although the first 3 editions are bound in darker red cloth. The precise title is A GUIDE BOOK OF UNITED STATES COINS. The author is R.S. Yeoman [Did you know that his real (honestly) given cognomen is Yeo?] We will describe each book as precisely as possible as **Redbook** collectors have become quite condition conscious. A note on our grading and pricing of **Redbooks**. We'll tell you what the books look like, and give you our best estimate of their worth; we do not grade **Redbooks** differently from other numismatic literature.

## 114 Yeoman, R.S. Redbook. 1947, 1st ed. (150.00)

The gilt is bright, the covers clean but show some superficial scratches, the back cover shows indentations from being the bottom book in a stack which was bound with twine (on a Tuesday by a guy named Frank), the contents are clean, the binding absolutely sound. Fine,

- 115. Yeoman, R.S. Red book. 1948, 2nd ed. (100.00)

  But for some very minor (2 on a scale of 1 to 10) edge fading, a no-qualifier-needed VF copy: clean, sound, pretty.
- 116. Yeoman, R.S. Redbook. 1948, 2nd ed. (75.00)

The binding is tight. The contents clean. The covers show spotting and discoloration. Call the covers VG, the contents better than Fine. This is a decent copy.

117. Yeoman, R.S. Redbook. 1949, 3rd ed. (50.00)

Good news: the contents are sound and clean, VG. Bad news: the covers don't show any fading because of the dirt and spots. There is also a neat 50 mm outlined circle of pink paint (Spred Satin "Honeymoon Heaven") on the back cover, from being used to keep the paint off someone's \$1.67 braided rug. An ugly, but structurally sound copy, of the "key" to the series.

118. Yeoman, R.S. Redbook. 1950, 4th ed. (85.00)

Nearly a twin to the nicer 2nd edition above. Slightly more edge fading, one insignificant break of 'luster' on the cover. Okay, the covers are Fine, the contents near Mint.

119. Yeoman, R.S. Redbook. 1952-53, 5th ed. (125.00)

The finest fifth edition I have ever seen. I find the 5th edition tougher than the 3rd and therefore the toughest in the series because Myron had 5 mint copies (except for faded gilt) of the 3rd. The gilt is bright, the front cover is virtually pristine, the back cover has two one millimeter spots on the bottom edge where the cardboard shows through (perhaps as made, because the cloth appears punched out). The contents from end papers to the individual pages are pristine. The book looks super. A flat-out VF.

120. Yeoman, R.S. Redbook. 1953-54, 6th ed. (40.00)

The contents nearly mint, the binding perfect, the back cover shows significant water spotting, the front cover has a spot of discoloration from where a price label was removed. Briefly, but for waterspotting on back cover, a sound Fine.

121. Yeoman, R.S. 3 copies of the **Redbook**. 6th edition, 8th edition, 10th editions. (30.00)

The covers of all three are well-worn. The joints of the 6th and 8th are quite shaky. The contents of all three are complete, clean, and sound, but for some checkmarks in the 8th.

122. Yeoman, R.S. Redbook. 1955, 8th ed. (35.00)

Essentially a decent, clean copy. Contents loosening at rear joint, really minor wear on covers. VG. This lot also includes an unattractive 7th edition which is faded and barely attached at the joints. However, the book has reasonably clean contents, comes from a good home, and doesn't smoke.

123. Yeoman, R.S. 2 copies of the **Red book** 9th and 10th editions. (35.00) Both are Fine copies with no major defects and reasonable eye appeal.

124. Yeoman, R.S. 31 consective copies of the **Redbook** from the 1958, 11 edition to the 1988, 41st edition. (150.00)

The so-called 'short set' of Redbooks. Editions 11 through 15 are Fine or better. 16 through 22 are essentially VF or better, with the 18th ed. Inscribed by Abner Kreisberg and Jerry Cohen. The remainder from the 23rd on are near Mint or better, although the 1980 shows a bit of discoloration, apparently as made. This grouping is defect-free and altogether a most satisfactory opportunity to obtain a worthy, complete set.

FOLLOWING is a complete set of Bluebooks listed as we did with the Redbooks, and for the same reasons (so therel). Except as noted, the formats and layouts are identical. Each is bound in blue cloth. The precise title is HANDBOOK OF UNITED STATES COINS With Premium List. For the first 13 editions, the listed authors are R.S. Yeoman, Lee F. Hewitt, and Charles E. Green. Afterward, Yeoman is the sole author. The grading and decription of the books is as explained for the Redbooks.

125. Yeoman, Hewitt, and Green. Bluebook. 1942, 1st ed. (100.00)

A most pleasing copy. The covers are bright and clean but for one small spot; gilt bright, binding perfect, contents clean. The spine is faded with insignificant rub on the top and bottom of the spine. Early Bluebooks tend to be scarcer than early Redbooks because from 1942 to 1945 a significant number of collectors were on extended "field trips". The covers better than Fine, the contents better than VF.

126. Yeoman, Hewitt, and Green. Bluebook. 1943, 2nd ed. (75.00)

Another beauty. Covers bright and clean, bright gift, blinding perfect, contents clean and bright. Two reality insignificant problems: unimportant rub at the top and bottom of the spine, and a minute spot of reverse edge rub. Covers Fine, contents better than VF.

127. Yeoman, Hewitt, and Green. Bluebook. 1943, 2nd ed. (37.00)

A copy nicely rebound in blue cloth over heavy boards. Three clippings taped in. But for a few pencilled names and numbers, the contents and new covers are each Fine. A neat filler or super research copy.

128. Yeoman, Hewitt, and Green. Bluebook. 1944, 3rd ed. (75.00)

A little gem. In our experience, the 3rd is the key to the series, especially so nice. The cloth is light blue. The covers and gilt are bright. The contents and binding flawless. VF.

129. Yeoman, Hewitt, and Green. Bluebook. 1945, 4th ed. (30.00)

Although there is a variant 4th edition with black covers, we find that the blue cloth (like this one) turns up as frequently. Good news: the contents are bright and clean, the binding is tight, it contains the bookplate of Charles M. Johnson. Bad news: the covers have major, unattractive spotting or streaking at the periphery. Without cover spotting, the covers would be called Fine, and we would estimate the book at \$50.00. With the spotting, no grade is applicable. The contents are better than VF.

130. Yeoman, Hewitt, and Green. Bluebook. 1946, 5th ed. (25.00)

Inscribed to Dr. Curtiss from C.E. Green, 10/22/46. The covers rubbed and show some soiling, (not readily visible on the dark blue cloth) but are sound. The binding absolutely tight. The contents VF.

131. Yeoman, Hewitt, and Green. 3 Bluebooks. 6th, 7th, and 8th eds. (25.00)

The covers are each rubbed and solled. The 6th and 7th show significant waterstaining. The covers on the 8th show moderate wear. Still these all have sound bindings, and the contents are basically clean except as noted.

- 132. Yeoman, Hewitt, and Green. Bluebook. 1952, 9th ed. (20.00)

  But for some really minor rub at the extremities, a nice copy. The covers are Fine. The contents VF.
- 133. Yeoman, Hewitt, and Green. 2 Bluebooks. 10th and 11th eds. (20.00)

The 10th would have covers that are nearly VF, but for heavy residue from removed tape on the spine. In all other respects VF. The 11th has ugly, faded, spotted, dirty covers, with weak joints, and clean contents.

134. Yeoman, Hewitt, and Green. Bluebook. 12th and 13th eds. (17.00)

The 12th: some superficial cover soiling and wear, covers nearly Fine; the contents VF. The 13th: Corners bumped at bottom, rubbed at edges, otherwise a nice, clean Fine copy.

135. Yeoman, R.S. 32 consecutive Bluebooks: 14th ed. (1957) to the 45th ed. (1988). (120.00)

The balance of the set. The 14th ed. was the first edited exclusively by Yeoman. With one exception, all the bindings are sound. The contents are all clean and VF pr better. The covers as follows: the 14th to the 23rd are VG, 24 to 30 are Fine, the balance near Mint with a nearly pristine 1980. Remember: since 1983, they have been softbound.

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Auctions of numismatic literature are not only exciting ways of acquiring new treasures for one's library. Also they are of inestimable importance as references for the bibliophile: as numismatic bibliographies, as reference sources, and as records of value with prices realized lists. Consequently, it is quite unusual to find any significant quantity of these invaluable references coming to auction; collectors just do not want to part with them.

We are pleased to offer a significant number of important sales from the last 10 years. Not only are most accompanied by PRLs, but they are almost all in nearly new condition. Because of the special nature of this offering, we are listing them in their own section. For anyone who wishes to acquire a reference library for numismatic literature, this is indeed a special opportunity.

136. THE ASYLUM. Quarterly Journal of the Numismatic Bibliomania Society. Volumes 1-111 complete in 10 issues: (Summer 1980 - Fall/Winter 1985). Near Mint. (35.00)

A "must" for the numismalic bibliomaniac. Articles by Bowers, Breen, Champa, Kolbe, Collins, Adams, Gresham, Meghrig, Orosz, and a bunch of Important others whom we have offended by not mentioning. Additionally, this lot includes 3 numismatic literature catalogues by John Bergman and one by Joe Lepczyk. [Hmm, "Quarterty Journal". Five years. 10 issues. Amazingly, this makes complete sense to NBS members.] In all sincerity, all numismatic bibliomaniacs should belong to this lively, irreplaceable organization. Contact NBS, 4223 iroquois Ave., Lakewood, CA 90713.

137. Bourne, Michael & Marlene. 4 large format sales of numismatic literature. 1). MAIL BID SALE "1: Selected Duplicates from the ARMAND CHAMPA LIBRARY. 9/10/81. 80 pp. 1125 lots, no PRL. IIIs. 2). FIXED PRICE LIST No. 1. 11/20/81. np. 875 lots. Profusely illustrated. 3). MAIL BID SALE No. 2. 9/1/82. 73 pp. 1938 lots, no PRL. Well illustrated. 4). FIXED PRICE LIST No. 3. 3/83. 19 pp. 765 lots. Each is VF. (20.00)

The Bourne bairns produced a short series of impressive glossy catalogues, featuring important offerings. However, they are most important, and unparallelled, for their numerous illustrations of numismatic literature, the only opportunity many may have "to see the book before they buy it".

138. Durst, Lorraine S. UNITED STATES AUCTION CATALOGS: A BIBLIOGRAPHY. 1981. 4to. Hardbound. 87 pp. VF. (35.00)

Largely replaced by Gengerke and Adams, still of use for its indices, despite its occasionally Byzantine organization.

139. Durst, S. 6 small format mail bid sales of numismatic literature, each with PRIs. 1 & 2). MAIL BID SALE \*I (2 copies). 12/27/78. 91 pp. 1285 lots. 3). MAIL BID SALE \*2. 8/15/79. np. 1500 lots. 4). MAIL BID SALE \*7. 5/17/82. 46 pp. 1553 lots. 5). MAIL BID SALE \*8 56 pp. 1995 lots. 6). MAIL BID SALE \*9. 57 pp. 2417 lots. VF to mint. (25.00)

There may be an occasional blank page due to printing error. Also included are four Durst retail list booklets from 1979-1981.

140. Kolbe, George Frederick. Fixed price catalogues IV and V. IMPORTANT NUMISMATIC OFFERINGS. Spring 1980. Large format. CaC. 31 pp. 175 lots. 10 plates. and OLLA PODRIDA II: A Selection of Notable Books From Stock Arranged in No Particular Order. [And that's the truthl]. Spring 1982. 282 lots and 16 quarto pages folded from one uncut sheet of paper [Georgell]. VF. (10.00)

The first offers significant and expensive works accompanied with extensive annotations. The second offers a siew (a technical literary term for the uninitiated) of equally important and expensive works.

141. Kolbe, George Frederick CATALOGUE OF IMPORTANT NUMISMATIC BOOKS INCLUDING THE FINE NUMISMATIC LIBRARY OF THE LATE KENNETH W. LEE, IMPORTANT DUPLICATES FROM THE ARMAND CHAMPA LIBRARY.... June 12-13, 1981. Large 4to. White morocco, gilt. 120 pp. 1025 lots. 8 full color plates, 12 monochrome plates. Near Mint. (100.00)

The deluxe edition, ilmited to about 50 copies. Still the pre-eminent sale of American numismatic literature, magnificently presented by Mr. Kolbe. A required reference.

142. Kolbe, George Frederick CATALOGUE OF IMPORTANT NUMISMATIC BOOKS INCLUDING THE FINE NUMISMATIC LIBRARY OF THE LATE KENNETH W. LEE, IMPORTANT DUPLICATES FROM THE ARMAND CHAMPA LIBRARY... June 12-13, 1981. Large 4to. White Cac, gilt. 120 pp. 1025 lots, Prl. 8 full color plates, 12 monochrome plates. Covers Fine, contents VF. (20.00)

No sale of American numismatic literature has been more distinguished or more beautifully presented.

- 143. Kolbe, George Frederick. 8 sales of numismatic literature. VF to mint. (50.00)
  - 1). MAIL BID SALE #3: The Floyd Hazelwood Library. 6/25/77. 87 pp. 944 lots, no PRL. 7 plates.

2). MAIL BID SALE VI. 12/15/79, no. 2157 lots.

3). AUCTION SALE SEVEN: 1980 C.O.I.N. 6/13-14/80, 39 pp. 540 lots, 8 plates.

4), MAIL BID SALE VIII. 12/19/80, np. 2655 lots. 5), MAIL BID SALE X. 11/14/81. np. 2611 lots.

6], AUCTION SALE ELEVEN: 1982 C.O.I.N. 6/12/82. 94 pp. 1123 lots, no PRL. Color pictorial covers, 10 plates.

7), MAIL BID SALE XII. 10/9/82. np. 1932 lots.
8), SALE 17: 1984 C.O.I.N. 6/9/84. 55 pp. 650 lots, no PRL.
Mr. Kolbe's motto is QVALITY. If Frank Katen is the godfather of numismatic literature dealers, George must surely be the standard to which all current numismatic literature dealers aspire. His catalogues and cataloguing represent the best in the field, Additionally, he is a gentle-man and a professional in the best sense. Any large offering of Kolbe sales finds many seekers for their significant reference value. George, however, is not perfect; it is rumored that he has enjoyed our attempts at humor.

144. Kolbe, George Frederick. THE LESTER MERKIN LIBRARY. June 15, 1984. Octavo. Green pebbled cloth. 69 pp. 350 lots. Prl. bound in. Near Mint. (50.00)

Copy 29 of 100 deluxe editions. A most impressive offering of American references, featuring a strong run of plated Chapman's and virtually all core American numismatic references. The sale features extensive and valuable textual commentary by Mr. Kolbe.

145. Kolbe, George Frederick. THE LESTER MERKIN LIBRARY. June 15, 1984. Octavo. Tan cloth. 69 pp. 350 lots with estimate sheet and Prl. Near Mint. (30.00)

Copy 367 of 975 numbered copies. Also included herein, and the above lot, is an annotated listing of all 31 Merkin sales (which i believe was prepared by Walter Breen].

146. Kolbe, George Frederick. PUBLIC AUCTION SALE XXI:. June 4-5, 1985. Oblong quarto (George, do you know how difficult these are to shelve?). 89 pp. 1609 lots, no PRL. VF. (15.00)

A significant offering of American numismatic literature from the libraries of Abe Kosoff, Armand Champa, and Richard Picker.

147. Kolbe, George Frederick. IMPORTANT NUMISMATIC BOOKS. June 9-11, 1986, Oblong quarto, 97 pp. 2000 lots, VF (15.00)

Part I of the Michael Powills library. Part I of the Dr. F. F. Pipito library. Also selections from Col. R. F. Kriz and the library of the tate Col. H. D. Davidson. Important offerings of numislit of ancient and world colnage, and numerous U. S. auction sales. NOTE: A Kolbe error catalogue; pages 84-85 and 88-89 are blank.

148. Kolbe, George Frederick and Munzgalerie Basel. IMPORTANT NUMISMATIC LIBRARY. February 25-26, 1987. Large format. Gray CaC. 149 pp. 2935 lots. Nearly new. (20.00)

This sale of the library of Galerie des Monnales, especially useful due to its extensive indices and glossary, is already the standard reference in English for numismatic literature of ancients, medieval, and non-U.S. coinage. The sale realized \$330,000, the largest ever for any sale of numismatic literature.

149. Kolbe, George Frederick. THE NUMISMATIC BOOKSELLER. Volumes 1-4 complete, also the Spring 1988 Quarterly. The first 16 copies issued from January 1984. The first 14 folio sized self-covered, the last 2 quarto, VF (50.00)

Primarily fixed price lists and mail bid sales of numlsmatic literature, THE NUMISMATIC BOOKSELLER also contains George's observations and comments. The latter issues are mall bid sales, and include consignments from Kosoff estate, Kriz, Sonderman, and Picker Again, an invaluable source of information.

150. Kolbe, George Frederick/Spink & Son, Ltd. The first six combined sales held as part of the New York International Coin Show. 11. FIRST JOINT PUBLIC AUCTION SALE. 12/12/82. 60 pp. 579 lots, no PRL. 2). SECOND JOINT AUCTION. 12/11/83. 45 pp. 425 lots, no PRL. 3). THIRD JOINT AUCTION SALE. 12/2/84. 62 pp. 732 lots. 4), FOURTH JOINT PUBLIC AUCTION SALE. 12/1/85. 37 pp. 450 lots. 2 plates. 5) FIFTH JOINT PUBLIC AUCTION SALE. 12/14/86. 44 pp. 500 lots. 6). SIXTH JOINT PUBLIC AUCTION SALE. 12/13/87. 51 pp. 513 lots. VF to Mint. (75.00)

These combined sales offer quality numismatic literature, most lots bring more than \$100.00.. Obviously, literature about ancients and world coinage comprise an important part of these sales, but significant offerings of U. S. abound.

151. Wilson, Cal. 15 of the first 16 sales, missing only sale 13, the San Jose Sale. All have Prices Realized. Sales 3, 4, 5, 7, and 10 are large format, the remainder small format. The sales date from December 8, 1981 (Mail Bid Sale No. 1) to November 28, 1987 (Mail Bid Sale 16). Conditions are VF or better. (100.00)

Cal's sales are especially strong in American numismatic literature. He offers extensive annotations which prove invaluable, especially for nineteenth century American numismatic books and auction sales. Cal, George Kolbe, and Frank Katen are indeed the 'Blg Three'.

152. Wilson, Cal. WILSON'S NUMISMATIC REPOSITORY. 18 of the first 20 issues, missing only Vol 3, No.

4 (7/85) and Volume 4, No. 1 (1-2/86). Conditions average VF to Mint, except for Volume 1, No. 1 which has some peripheral bending. (75.00)

Aptly subtitled 'DEVOTED TO THE PURSUIT & ENJOYMENT OF NUMISMATIC LITERATURE', Cal's house organ is a flat-out gem. Beginning in October 1982, these quarto issues (except for the first which is octavo) tend to run 12 pages of lively information and correspondence from and between Cal and such notables as Armand Champa, Walter Breen, John Adams, and Remy Bourne. There are countiess vigneties, biographies, and inside stories. Perhaps none is so riveting as Cal's recounting of Armand Champa's pursuit of the elusive 'Thian'. Numismatic bibliomaniacs cherish these issues, another example of value far exceeding price.

153. Wilson, Cal. 7 fixed price lists from number 2 to number 8. The first 5 octavo, the last two are individual sheets of paper. Average VF. (20.00)

FPL #2 is unnumbered and undated. FPL #3 was dated January 1981, FPL #8 is dated December 1984.

## CONSIGNMENT PUERTO RICO

154. Ahlstrom, Bjarne. COINS OF THE SWEDISH POSSESSIONS 1561-1868. 1967. 8vo. Glossy pictorial boards. 173 pp. 111s. Vals. Fine. (25.00)

A compliation of types, dates, and valuations of coins minted or counterstamped in Sweden's former posessions. Mostly tri-lingual (Swedish, German, English), indispensable as a one location source for otherwise elusive information. Important.

155. Durst, Sanford. COMPREHENSIVE GUIDE TO AMERICAN COLONIAL COINAGE. 1976. 8vo. Cloth. 153 pp. 111s. Vals. VF. (20.00)

Of value for the historical documents authorizing the various coinages. Also a record of then current auction prices. Copy 93 of 10,000. This lot also includes Leon Lindheim's Facts & Fictions about Coins.

156. Edmundson, Joseph. COLLECTING MODERN COMMEMORATIVE MEDALS. 1972. 8vo. 246 pp. 111s. VF. (12.00)

A British production, covering from George III to date, and by topic. Useful. This lot also includes Seaby A Catalogue of Copper Coin & Tokens of the British Isles, 1949 and Charles Frank, Coin Preservation Handbook.

157. Eklund, O.P. (Opie?) COPPER COINS OF THE GERMAN STATES. 1963 ANA rep. 126 pp. 1678 lots. Ills. Nearly VF. (20.00)

The most important of the Eklund copper series. This identification of coins by states is invaluable for medievals. This lot also includes 4 other Eklund copper reprints: Italy, Norway, Papai States, and Denmark (also Wormser on German Slege pieces)

158. Houghton, Arthur. COINS OF THE SELEUCID EMPIRE FROM THE COLLECTION OF ARTHUR HOUGHTON. 1983. 4to. Cloth. 122 pp. 77 fine plates. Minor soiling, still VF. (35.00)

Produced by the ANS, ACNAC 4. A scholarly study of a comprehensive collection, arranged geographically by mints and chronologically by ruler. Covers from ca. 300 BC, to 67 BC. A marvelous reference by a noted numismatist.

159. INTERNATIONAL BANKNOTE SOCIETY JOURNAL. 39 issues from 1968 to 1979. Small format, glossy CaC. Fine to VF. (75.00)

Produced in England. Editors included Colin Narbeth and Yasha Beresiner. Complete in 34 issues from Volume 10 (9/70) to Volume 17 (1979), inclusive. issued as a quarterly, except for Volume 12 of 6 issues. Each issue averages 50 pages, mostly of important <u>articles</u> covering the full range of world currency written by major figures. An important run of this most useful, infrequently offered, journal

160. Kagin, Donald H. PRIVATE GOLD COINS AND PATTERNS OF THE UNITED STATES. 1981. 4to. Black cloth, gilt, dj. 406 pp. 111s. VF. (22.00)

Essentially what was Kagin's doctoral thesis is now the standard reference.

161. Pennington, James. THE CURRENCY OF THE BRITISH COLONIES. 1967 Kelley reprint of the 1848 original. 247 pp. Fine. (20.00)

An historical record of the legislation, establishment, and value of British Colonial coinage, by colony. The cited documents are extremely useful.

162. Pridmore, F. COINS OF THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH OF NATIONS. Part I: European Territories. 1960, 98 pp. IIIs. Dampstained, Fine. (12,00)

This lot Includes 2 small Jaeger on German, Sieg on Scandinavian, and 2 nice plated Hans Schulman sales.

163. Raymond, Wayte. THE STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS, 1947. 1946, 12 ed.

8vo. Cloth. Fine. 224 pp. 111s. (15.00)

This edition includes the issues of the Philippines and D.W.I. Also 4 booklets: the CCJ coins of the world supplement, Gould on Hawaiian, Kenney on unofficial world coins, and Fink on Canadian tokens.

164. Taxay, Don. AN ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF U.S. COMMEMORATIVE COINAGE. 1967. 4to. Cloth. 256 pp. IIIs. Fine. (20,00)

An especially elusive reference in the series. Taxay's tome is an historical, but most readable, record, of the genesis of each issue. Much original research.

165. Taxay, Don. SCOTT'S COMPREHENSIVE CATALOGUE AND ENCYCLOPEDIA OF U.S. COINS. 1971. 1970. 8vo. Cloth, dj. 400 pp. 11ls. Fine. (20.00)

important. Taxay's research and scholarship is invaluable for all series. Of note is the information on coloniais, patterns, and seated coinage.

166. Troxell, Hyla. THE COINAGE OF THE LYCIAN LEAGUE. 1982. 8vo. Cloth. 255 pp. 44 pls. Nearly VF. (30.00)

Produced by the ANS, NNM-162. A scholarly analysis of the four hoards of Lyclan coinage. Covers the silver and bronze issues from ca. 167 BC to 43 AD.

167. Yeoman, R.S. 2 copies of the **Redbook** 8th and 10th editions. (35.00)

The 8th has bright clean covers BUT there are some spots of pink paint on the front cover and a streak of the paint on the back cover. The contents are bright and clean. The best way to describe the 8th is VF with paint on covers (a handy-man special?). The 10th also has bright and clean covers, but for some residue from a paper label. Other than some minor spotting on the top page edges, the contents are virtually mint. The 10th has Fine covers with VF contents. ALSO in this lot are 10 used Redbooks from 1961 to 1974.

168. Yeoman, Hewitt, and Green. Bluebook. 1942, 1st ed. (95.00)

An attractive copy. The covers are absolutely bright and clean but show minor bumping at the bottom corner of the front cover where the cover overhangs the contents; glit bright, binding shows the most minor weakness, contents clean, but name written on free endpaper. Insignificant rub on the top and bottom of the spine. Despite the listed shortcomings, a nearly VF copy..

169. A Konvolut of 9 Central and Latin American works. (25.00)

Includes reprints of the 1925 Elder Skilton collection and Betts' Mexican Imperial Colnage. Also Vogt and Long, Mexico; Byrne/Remick, Jamaica; Raymond, Central America. Others: Dominican Republic, Cuba, Haiti. This lot also includes 8 other periodicals, e.g, The Jamaican Historical Review.

170. An Eclectic Konvolut of 18 booklets and periodicals. (25.00)

Includes the Stack's reprint of their inaugural 1935 auction, the Fulds on Patriotic tokens, Warden on Indian punch-marked coins, 2 works on heraldry, Donlon paper money guide, 4 1975 Numsimatic Scrapbooks, and 8 other items.

## THE AUCTION CATALOGUES

171. Almanzar's. The Remainder of the JOSE T(ORIBIO) MEDINA Collection of Worldwide Coinage. Parts 1 (8/31/70) & 11 (4/12/71). Pris for both. Covers soiled, contents Fine. (25.00)

The most in-demand of Almanzar's sales (in fact, these were Almanzar's first 2 sales). The legendary Chilean author and collector (1852-1930) specialized in "Las Medalias de Jura" of the Kings of Spain, which he wrote and of which he had the definitive collection. His other specialty was European coins connected with the conquest of the Americas and the intercontinental wars. The first Medina sale was conducted by Hans Schulman in 1968 (a copy of which we have included herein unbeknownst to the consignor because we are nice guys and snappy dressers). Important.

172. Almanzar's. The KING FAROUK Collection of Latin American Banknotes. (Two volumes)) August 21-23, 1972, 4to, CaC, 204 pp. 3405 lots, Prl. 54 pls. Nearly VF. (25.00)

Volume I is the 'Farouk' volume. The Latin American banknote collection was purchased in the 1954 Farouk sale by Robert Schermerhorn. It was purchased from his estate by Thomas Bain of Dallas. Volume II features the Medina collection of 89 Admiral Vernon medals, 34 Illustrated in his book (Medina's personal copy was lot 1624A). Important.

173. Almanzar's. 10th Anniversary Action Sale. September 8, 1971. 156 pp. 5120 lots, Prl. IIIs. (20.00)

A scarce sale, but someone (either a child or a coin grader) scribbled in crayon on four pages. To assuage the damage this lot also contains the scarce two-volume Almanzar sale of 7/18/75; 117 pp. 4426 lots, Prl. 91 page plate volume. VF. Nearly 10,000 total lots here

174. Almanzar s. 8 Sales Featuring Selections from the CASTILLO Collection of Hispanic American Coinage. 6 w/Prls. VF. (25.00)

Sales 32, 35-41. A valuable konvolut of Information about Hispanic American coinage; much of the information in the

extensive annotations is not elsewhere readily available. This lot also includes Sale #11, 12/1/76, featuring Myron's favorite coin, the Cogulmbo (Chile 1828) Peso. These come to auction less than a Brasher Doubloon or a 1979 SBA dollar in VF.

175. AUCTION '79. July 26-27, 1979 (when else?). 469 pp. 2000 lots. 52 pls. Nearly VF. (15.00)

The "Apostrophe Sales" have generally set the tone for the ANA and for the balance of the year. Each company attempts to use their 500 allotted lots most selectively by offering the rare, the expensive, and the prestigious. Example, this inaugural "Apostrophe Sale" featured a Brasher Doubloon.

FOLLOWING is a nearly complete run of Bowers and Ruddy sales, from sale 4 (Rothert) to Sale 54 (Springfield II), missing only sale 12 (Dundee). The PRLs are all originals, not copies. To avoid repetition, the sales are all large format, with glossy card covers, and profusely illustrated NOTE: the covers of some B&R sales may exhibit apparent wear, which is in fact the way they were printed. Also, some may have imperfect backstrips or spines due to original shipping and handling. For example, although neither is offered here, try to find a Clifford or Eliasberg gold sale with a perfect spine, which all seem to need chiropractors.

176. Bowers and Ruddy. THE MAGNIFICENT STANISLAW HERSTAL COLLECTION. February 7-9, 1974. 180 pp. 2226 lots, Prl. Near Mint. (40.00)

The most asked-for B&R sale. Features Hertsal's Polish: 515 lots in 43 well-catalogued pages. Overlooked highlights: a choice 1893-S Morgan brought \$20,000, 1795 Jefferson head cent for the EAC'ers, 1884 Trade doltar, 1841 \$2.50, 1802 half dime, Idler 1804 doltar at \$165,000 fixed price. Important.

- 177. Bowers and Ruddy. THE C.W. KRUGJOHANN SALE. May 14, 1976. 100 pp. 1585 lots, Prl. VF. (15.00)

  A scarce sale. Features 43 good large cents, good bust dollars, 1737 Higley 3d w/l'valve' (one of three known) with 2 pages of text, North Wales halfpenny (8 known).
- 178. Bowers and Ruddy. THE GETTY COLLECTION. May 5-6, 1977. 96 pp. 1971 lots, Prl. 4 color pls. Bumped corner, o/w VF. (15.00)

In demand. Why? Perhaps it has something to do with the 407 lots of attributed bust halves (1807-1836) "the finest we have ever encountered". Also 1787 New York "Indian" copper, 20 lots of Bechtler gold, the unique 1794 dollar in copper with extensive text.

179. Bowers and Ruddy. THE FAIRFIELD COLLECTION. October 6-8, 1977. 176 pp. 2724 lots, Prl. 14 color pls. Fine. (20,00)

Most important for the well-catalogued, provenanced large cents: most of the Sheldon dates ex-Richard Wright with the superb Newcomb dates from Jack Collins (Jack, we're not going to mention that you really are a noted bibliophile, cataloguer, photographer, and bon vivant). Also, 58 pattern dollars, 106 S.L. dollars, 250 \$2,50s.

- 180. Bowers and Ruddy. ROY HARTE COLLECTION. November 16, 1977, 128 pp. 3272 lots, Pr1. VF. (12.00) Scarce. 1792 Birch cent, Harte's collection of 1873 coinage.
- 181. Bowers and Ruddy. THE GARRETT COLLECTION, Parts I-IV. 1979-1981. Softbound copies. Fine and better. (35.00)

According to R. Scott Rubin (numismatist, scholar, and bibliophile), the sale that started the modern golden age of numismatics.

- 182. Bowers and Ruddy. The remaining B & R SALES from #4-54, missing only #12. 40 sales. (175.00)

  A complete run except for those listed above and no Dundee sale, #12. Major sales: Rothert, Turoff, Austin, Paxman (loved his videogame), Newport, Willing, Stafford, Turoff, Brankgan/ANA '78, Sleck/ANA 81. 26 with original Pris. Fine or better, averaging VF. A veritable numismatic smorgasbord.
- 183. Bowers and Ruddy. RARE COIN REVIEWS 18-23 and 24A. Averaging VF. (35.00)
  The RCRs before #25 are especially worthwhile and elusive as a group. The foreign was catalogued by Karl Stephens. #24-A is all foreign and a valued, sought-after reference. This lot also includes 2 copies each of RCRs 62-65.
- 184. Bowers, Q.D. (ed.) AN INSIDE VIEW OF THE COIN HOBBY IN THE 1930s: The Walter P. Nichols File. 1985. 4to. CaC. 144 pp. Fine. (12.00)

Nichols: 1889-1941, (former ANA governor) correspondence with major numlsmatic figures: Bolender, Boyd, Kosoff, Hoffecker, Mehl, Chapman. 'Behind the scenes' in the coin business, especially the 'commem controversies'. Neat reading from QDB.

185. Bowers and Ruddy. COINS OF ENGLAND. 1976. 16 pp. 111s. (10.00)

in the format of the 'Special Coin Letter'. 'the largest selection of British coins offered in this country in many years'. includes nice English and Scottish hammered. Listed separately for the B&R collectors.

186. Christensen, Henry, Inc. 43 Sales from 1969-1985. 31 w/Prls. The small format sales average Fine. the large format, VF. (125.00)

The knowledgeable Christensens featured excellent European and Latin American coinage. Their sales, all well-plated, became large format with #62. The major sales offered here include: #43, The Lee collection of Chinese Dollars; #56, Witlem's (Trade Dollars) extensive library; #57, Bolivia; #73, Faistauer's Spanish Colonial; #75, Willem's reference collection of Trade Dollars. Sale nos.: 40-47, 50, 52-3, 56-7, 59-64, 67-8, 71-75, 77-8, 80-85, 87-95 (2 copies of 94&95). Also 2 Fpls. Their 'Numismatic Commentaries' offer a wealth of information. Underrated, but not by the cognoscenti.

187. Christie's. The BARON FAMILY collection of United States, Foreign, and Ancient Coins. December 8, 1983. 8vo. Black cloth, gilt. 93 pp. 448 lots. 6 color pls. VF. (25.00)

A deluxe clothbound format. Most important for the 312 lots of world gold (his unreached goal was to obtain one specimen from each country minting one.) Rarities: Korean 1906 20 Won, Irish Gunmoney 1690 in gold, Zanzibar 1881 2 1/2 rials, Hawalian 1883 1/12 dollar in gold, Adetaide pound, Japanese Manen Oban, and impressive U.S territorial and regular issue gold.

188. Downie, P.J. (Melbourne). 29 Sales from No. 130 (5/27/80) to No.172 (11/14/83). Small format, glossy covers. Fine to VF. (75.00)

A virtually complete run from #144 to #172 missing only #150. Downle, who purchased Lepczyk Auctions in 1985, is a major Aussie numismatic auction house. Each profusely illustrated sale from 'down-under' averages 750 lots with an additional 1000+ lots ilsted for mall bid. Their offerings of Australian, New Zealand, and Oceania make them the sales for the collector. A few folded as mailed. Some with neat paper cover labels from the consignor listing contents. Sale 147 is the famous James Berry, O.B.E. collection with #157, the 50th anniversary sale. Forget 'certified' grading; Aussie grading corresponds to classical European grading. No toned coin is listed as Unc. EFs can be MS-63 or better. An Unc is receal///yunc.

189. El Dorado Coin Galleries (Almanzar's successors). The First 10 Sales. From 7/14/84 to 11/25/85. 3 w/Prl. Avg. VF. (25.00)

Almanzar and Bernth Ahlstroem of Galeries des Monnales of Geneva combined for these sales in the former Almanzar format. Again, extensive offerings of Latin American, also European coinage. Useful. This lot also includes 3 Coins & Antiquities (El Dorado subsidiary) sales from 1986.

190. Glendining & Co./A.H. Baldwin (London). The PRIDMORE Collection of the British Commonwealth of Nations, Parts II and III. 1982-1983. 8vo. CaC. Pris. VF. (35.00)

Part II: Asian Territories, India, Australasia, 10/18-19/82, 102 pp. 822 lots. 25 plates. Well-provenanced and attributed with Important text. This sale corresponds to the most in-demand book of the Pridmore series. Part III: The Uniform Coinage of India, 10/17/83, 51 pp., 315 lots, 9 plates. Again, well-provenanced and attributed with important text. For those unfamiliar with the standing of Fred Pridmore and this part of the collection, Imagine Dr. Sheldon (having Immediate world-wide recognition) offering his reference collection of 1793s and 1794s large cents. A modern classic. Of highest importance.

191. Glendining & Co. (London). The Important Collection of Norman and Plantegenet Coins formed by the late F. ELMORE JONES, Parts I-III. 1983-1986. 8vo. CaC. 111 total pp. 1911 total lots, Prl. 24 pls. VF. (35.00)

The three complete parts of an extremely important sale of English hammered colnage from William I (1066) to Edward III (1351). Most coins are illustrated (both sides). [Paraphrasing] foremost are the 840 'Tealbies' [Cross and Crosslets Issues] of Henry II, only 110 less than the British Museum. Includes 156 William I Paxs pennies from 60 of the 64 mints. Thoroughly attributed and provenanced. A veritable textbook.

192. Glendining & Co/Baldwin. (London). Coin of the Sussex Mints. October 14, 1985. 33 pp. 209 lots. Prl. 9 pls. VF. (30.00)

"The most comprehensive collection of coins of the Sussex Mints (do they make coins about other kinds of candy, too?) ever offered for sale by auction. From Aethelred II to John. All coins illustrated obverse and reverse. The only non-represented mint is Bramber. Thoroughly attributed, provenanced, with important text. Important. This lot also includes 4 other important Glendining sales from 1978-85 (all w/Pris) of hammered coinage: Irish, English hammered crowns, Anglo-Saxon & Norman, the Delme-Radcliffe collection of Edward IV.

193. Glendining & Co. (London). 3 Important Sales of Medals. All w/Prls. Near Mint. (30.00)

The SWAN Collection of Medals of Railways, Bridges, and Tunnels, (British & foreign): 4/17/86, 72 pp., 406 lots, 32 plates. Well-attributed and indexed. The COURTENAY Collection of Silver Napoleonic Medals: 5/21/86, 31pp., 264 lots, 4 colour & 14 monochrome plates. 164 lots of Napoleonic. The KOTZEN Collection of Medals and Tokens of the French Revolution & Napoleon 1789-1815: 10/7/86, 39 pp., 220 lots, 7 plates. Catalogued by the estimable Richard Margolls—well-attributed with important text. Three important sales for the collector of medallic art.

194 Glendining & Co/Baldwin. (London). The OLGA H. KNOEPKE (New Town, Connecticut) Collection of Coins of Ancient Greece. December 10, 1986. 8vo. Glossy, CaC. 59 pp. 377 lots, Prl. 4 colour and 24 monochrome pls. Near Mint. (35.00)

Every lot illustrated. The collection, based both on aesthetics and condition, brought L631,550 or nearly \$1,000,000. Thoroughly attributed and provenanced. Highlights: Kimon Dekadrachm, ex-Lockett (brought L25,000), Amphipolis tetradrachm

(brought L27,000), 3 gold 100 Litrae, 3 Caulonia staters, "It is many years since a comparable collection has been offered in London. This lot also includes 5 other important sales: Harwood's silver coins of Norway (11/75), Napoleonic and Ecuador (a normal juxtaposition), B.R. Noble's ancients and hammered (12/75), William Charles French's important British (4/86), enamelled coins (6/86).

195. Glendining & Co./Seaby Numismatic Books. November 10, 1982. 44 pp. 493 lots, Prl. VF. (15.00)

115 pre-1800 books, 100 on ancients, 100 European. Includes 1879 Frossard (L110), Loubat, an 1890 Doughty In an 8 book lot brought L24, a plated Chapman/Warner, unplated Jenks. also a 5/11/83 (Prl) sale with 182 lots of numislit: nearly complete Numismatic Chronicle, 1836-1945, brought L4800. The offerings are Important works on ancients, medievals, and modern coinage.

196. Glendining & Co. (London). 106 Sales from February 5, 1975 to March 19, 1986. 8vo. CaC. Averaging VF. (150.00)

Such an extensive run, especially as 104 of the 106 have Pris, is an enormous treasure trove of useful research. The quality offerings cover ancients, medievals, obviously mostly British - from hammered to modern, tokens, medials. The individual sales, though modest in size, are not pedestrian (walking with 106 catalogues would be impossible).

The typical sale has 350 lots and 4 plates (85 of the sales are plated). [Thought: how would one describe the contents of an illustrated auction catalogue offering numerous lots of dishes and many parcels of real estate from a Biblical estate? Would it have to

be described as ... lots and lots of lots of Lot's lots, with lots and lots of lots of Lot's plated plates]

197. Kagin's. 331st Sale. 1983 GENA: SANTA MONICA COLLECTION OF LARGE CENTS. October 14-15, 1983. 4to. CaC. 127 pp. 2499 lots. Prl. 3 color pls. Nearly VF. (15.00)

184 attributed lots extensively provenanced by Del Bland (who is doing the provenancing for the in-work Breen large cent tome).

198. Kagin's. 332nd Sale. Long Beach Numismatic and Philatelic Exposition: KAMAL AHWASH Collection. February 2-4, 1984. 4to. CaC. 119 pp. 2494 lots, Prl. 5 color pls. Fine. (10.00)

'These half dimes, dimes, quarters, half dollars, and dollars [from Ahwash's prized personal collection] represent possibly the largest date and variety offering ever to come on the numismatic market'

- 199. Kagin's. 7 Large Format Auction Sales. Averaging VF. (35.00)
- #330: 1983 ANA sale, Pri; #333: Metropolitan NY, Pri, 3/84; #334: Aaron Bilss, 5/84: #335: Memphis Paper Money Show, Pri, 6/84; #336: Gillisple (1894-S 10c), Pri, 10/84; #338: Western Reserve Historical Society (Cleveland), Indian peace medals, 3/85; #339: Julian Leidman's Maryland colonials and currency, Pri, 8/85. A most useful grouping.
- 200. Krueger, Kurt. 3 Glossy, Large Format Sales of Americana and Exonumia. Avg. VF. (30.00)
- (1) 1982 Summer National Collectibles Expo, Pri, 8/14-22. (2) 1983 Summer Americana & Exonumia, 9/7. (3) 'A Treasure Trove of Collectables', 7/8/85. These profusely illustrated sales, totalling over 10,000 lots of exonumia and Americana, are superb references for assisting in identifying the nearly infinite variety of the genre. Infrequently offered.
- 201. Lepczyk, Joseph. A Nearly Complete Run from Sale 12 (4/18/75 to Sale 71 (11/21-22/86). 57 of 60 Sales. Average VF (150.00)

Missing only nos. 52, 55, and 69. 54 of the 57 with PRLs (original). Some sales have neat cover labels indicating the contents. The sales were small format (and scarce) until #19. Each sale averaged 60 pages and 1600 lots. Joe Lepczyk's sales were the best of their kind for a decade. His profusely illustrated sales featured the vast panorama of ancient, medieval, and foreign coinage. Among those here is the Sobin collection of French Ecus (now a standard reference), sales featuring medals, Germanic, literature, Latin American, Goetz medals, British, and European colonials. For the foreign collector, these sales are indispensable references. Infrequently offered so complete.

- 202. The Money Company (CA). 8 Large Format Sales from 1981-1986. Fine and better. (35.00)
- Sales #2 (Hong Kong), 5-9, 15-17. These profusely illustrated sales are especially useful for colnage of the Orient. The quality of the offerings, the valuable text, and the plates offer one of the few extensive sources in English for the collector of China, Japan, and Korea. Also included are 3 other sales featuring colnage of the east.
- 203. NASCA. The GEORGE THOMAS Collection of World Banknotes. May 28, 1980. 4to, CaC. 103 pp. 2155 lots. Profusely Illustrated. VF. (15.00)

A landmark collection: rarities, proofs, and specimens abound. This lot also contains 4 other large format, well-illustrated NASCA sales featuring important world banknotes: London Collection, 7/79; Stockholm Collection, 12/81; Sale 62, 12/86; Sale 68, 12/87. Most important.

204. NASCA. Greater NY Convention. May 3, 1987. 4to, CaC. 91 pp. 1500+ lots. 45 pls. Nearly VF. (12.00)

A most important offering of 433 lots of world medals. Indexed by topic, covers from Renaissance to now (or then).

205. Peters, Jess. WORLD: PATTERNS, ESSAIS, DIE TRIALS, TRANSITIONS, PROOFS, ERRORS. FPL. Small format. CaC. August 1971. 97 pp. 1437+ lots. 54 pls. Nearly VF. (12.00)

Featuring 100+ lots of German notgeld in bronze, silver, and gold. Extensive English and French. Of major importance for this under-referenced area. This lot also includes 3 small format Peters' sales w/Pris.

- 206. Peters, Jess. 14 Large Format Sales. Pris for the first 8. Solied back covers, o/w Nearly VF. (50.00)
  Highlights: #78, Ray Byrne \*Coin and Tokens of the Caribees\*, still a standard reference (VF); #108, literature from
  Jess Peters' library. Other sales: #68, 86, 90, 101, 103, 105, 106, 109-14. Half of the sales have neat cover lables indicating
  Caribbean coinage. These are also especially strong in world crowns. Jess, truly a gentle-man, purchased many outstanding crowns
  (especially Chinese) in the 60's from a Mr. Xenos of Rocky River, Ohlo.
- 207. Seaby (London). 2 Auction Sales of British milled coinage. 8vo. CaC. VF. (15.00)

Mail Bid Sale #3 - DR. ARTHUR WENT: 3/21/84, 674 lots, 8 pls. British Coins - The R.J. KELSALL Collection: 4/23/86, 72 pp., 422 lots, Ills. These two sales are particularly strong in important 16th to 18th century British. Well-catalogued. This lot also includes two Hornung (Denmark) sales.

208. Society of International Numismatics. A Binder of Various SIN Numigrams and Micrograms. 77 monographs in brown binder. (50.00)

includes Numograms 16-55, Micrograms 5-21 & 25 (no 17), Compendium of Internat'i Numismatics 10, 33, 66-83. Virtually all originals. These monographs beginning from 1972 cover the full range of numismatics, e.g., Obsolete states, Sassanian, Macedonian, British trade tokens, Canadian, Piliar dollars, Fractional currency, plate money. Infrequently offered in such a large group and so attractive a format.

209. Superior. 1975 ANA. August 19-23, 1975. 316 pp. 3583 lots, Prl. 182 pls. Fine. (25.00)

Includes the 16 page supplement. Features Ostheimer's 250 attributed, well-provenanced lots of bust dollars, "the finest ever assembled or offered," quoting the previously unmentioned Jack Collins. Also featuring Glassenberg's superb 20 attributed, provenanced halves from 1794-1807. This lot also includes 3 other Superior sales: 1978 California Collection, Pri; 1979 Madison Estate, with quality bust halves; 1979 Northwood/Spear, Pri.

210. Superior. 6 Important Sales Totalling 4500 Lots of Mexican Coinage. 5 with Prls. Averaging VF. (30.00)

Miguel Munoz I & II (I still haven't figured out how to put the ~ over the "o"), DeSylva/Rabun, 1972 COIN, 1976 COIN, Ruby II.

211. Superior. DR WALTER LEE CROUCH COLLECTION. June 13-17, 1977. 262 pp. 3084 lots, Prl. 92 pls. Glossy covers slightly soiled, VF. (15.00)

612 lots of superb patterns. Important and underappreciated.

212. Superior. 3 Important Sales Totalling 500 lots of Large Cents. All w/Prls. But for light cover soiling, VF. (25.00)

All attributed with excellent text and provenancing. Ruby III (327 lots) and Mt Vernon Sale each with a "Starred Reverse" and "Jefferson Head". Also 1977 University of Wisconsin.

213. World-Wide Coins of California (Jim Elmen). AUCTION III. November 18, 1982. 42 pp. 8vo. CaC. 1180 lots. 62 pls. VF. (12.00)

Mr. Elmen's sales are always aptly subtitled "A Mail Bid Sale and Reference Catalog of World Coins & Medals". This sale offers the George Sobin collections of world coins dated 1776 (223 lots) and demi-ecus 1647-1791 (79 lots). Elmen's profusely plated sales always offer extensive Russian coinage and medals.

214. World-Wide Coins of California (Jim Elmen). AUCTIONS 4-6, 8-10, 12-13. 8vo. CaC. VF. (35.00)

Elmen's sales do not appear often on the secondary market; they are highly valued for the specialized offerings of profusely plated and heavily annotated Russian, featuring major rarities, and French, and European medievals. These sales average 700 lots with 40 plates. Important.

215. A Konvolut of 12 Large Format sales from European firms. Fine to VF. (75.00)

Galeries des Monnales (Germany) sale 4, 3/30-31/71: featuring 1100 crowns by Davenport nos. Hornung's (Denmark) Sales 28-30 (1986-88). 4 Jacques Schulman Sales from 1969-85: 249, 263, 280, 283, & FPL 11/87. Phillips (London), 10/84: Scripophily. Spink (Zurich) #25, 2/88: gold coins. Spink (NY) [that's kind of a foreign country] #4: 11/83. These sales are profusely illustrated, easy to follow, and give a sense of the individual countries' market and offerings. Most useful.

#### CONSIGNMENT NEW YORK

This consignment offers an exceptional opportunity for the collector. The catalogues offer a wealth of information, far exceeding their cost. As many tend to be of moderate price (but not worth), they may be grouped by dealer, topic, or general area of interest. If not mentioned, assume that the sales are octavo, defect-free, and at least Fine.

216. Bolender, M.H. 117th SALE. June 1, 1938, 45 pp. 1306 lots, Prl. But for slightly faded green covers, better than Fine. (15.00)

David Woods' nice early English, 25 lots of Scottish, and sliver historical medals. A few nice large cents. also Seaby, Coins of England, 19th ed., 1982, Fine.

- 217. Bolender, M.H. 183rd AUCTION SALE. February 23, 1952. 103 pp. 1823 lots. (20.00)
- Bolender's reference collection of 183 bust dollar varieties keyed to the plates in his standard reference. Exceptionally well-catalogued with extensive text and provenancing. 34 pattern dollars, 50 trade dollars with patterns, important.
- 218. Bolender, M.H. 189th SALE. October 7, 1955. 88 pp. 1502 lots. Fine. (16.00)

Extensive Confederate and obsolete currency. Good crowns. Patterns (coins, not clothes), ex-Farouk. Farouk's bullet money and other odd and curious. also 191st SALE, 10/55, excellent obsolete & colonial currency, and more Farouk bullet money. (Hey, Farouk, if you don't want a bullet, give me your money!)

219. Botender, M.H. 196th SALE. November 12, 1959. 74 pp. 1412 lots. Glossy covers show some pencil. (10.00)

Ex-libris Remy Bourne. Nice Confederate and obsolete currency. 1795 dollar (EF) with Brasher counterstamp, (Bolender, "I know of only three old silver dollars with this type of c/s"). His penultimate sale.

- 220. French. MANA Philadelphia Sale. October 19-20, 1962 pp. 1778 lots. Once folded, Fine. (12.00)
  The Colvin collection of large cents (well-attributed), 186 Sheidon dates: 19 1793s, 43 1794s. A few prices and checks in margin. The separately issued plates are not present. The most in-demand and elusive French sale. A decent copy.
- 221. French. 20 Sales. Fine or better. (35.00)

Some scarce sales here, nearly all are really nice copies: nos. 36 (9/48), 51-52, 55, 57-58, 64, 66-67, 72, 76-79, 81-81, 84-85, 87, 102 (stained). Collecting all the French (and Kabealo) sales has become a popular challenge.

222. Katen, Frank and Laurese. 2 sales. 41st SALE: The Numismatic Library of the Late SOL KAPLAN. 3/22/75. 64 pp. 1325 lots. and 42nd SALE: LEE HEWITT and SOL KAPLAN, Part 2. 9/26-27/75. 80 pp. 862 lots, Prl. (16.00)

Both parts of the Kaplan library provide an exceptional reference record for American numismatic books and auction catalogs. Especially useful for the records of American numismatic periodicals, many infrequently offered.

223. Katen, Frank and Laurese. 43rd SALE: Numismatic Libraries of the late MR. THOMAS WARFIELD, MR. DICK PERIER, [KATEN duplicates]. September 11-12, 1976. 174 pp. 3419 lots. (12.00)

in addition to being an exceptional numbrial reference for American periodicals and auction catalogues, and foreign and ancient references, this is still the <u>largest number of separate lots ever offered</u> in an auction of numbranatic literature.

224. Kolbe, G(eorge) Frederick. 2 sales. Numismatic Literature Mail Bid Auction Sale NUMBER ONE. February 28, 1976. 55 pp. 763 lots. and Sale 2. 10/23/76. np. 1640 lots, Prl. (15.00)

The estimable Mr. Kolbe's entre into the auction arena. Inked on cover, 'Save - Work Copy w/pri' [which it ain't got]. The first is a most satisfactory example of this now historic sale. The second has cover graffiti and occasional inside notes, otherwise a decent copy.

- 225. Kosoff, Abe (some w/Numismatic Enterprises). 7 sales from 1952-1971. VG and better. (25.00) includes Chadwick/Darnell, Melish/Hester (reading copy), Shuford, Julian Marks (Pri).
- 226. Kosoff. Abe. 2 Sales EDWARD M. HYDEMAN. 3/3-4/61. Fine. AND (w/Numismatic Enterprises). NASC, Lucky 13th. 2/15-18/68. VG. (10.00)

Hydeman: some neat attributed large cents, 1913 5c, 1894-S 10c, 1876-CC 20c, 1804 Stickney Dollar. NASC: 138 attributed large cents, nice 1794s.

227. New Netherlands Coin Co. [Fixed Price] List No. 5. March 1939. 32 pp. 1918 lots. Thin 8vo. Rust on staples, better than Fine. (10.00)

60 attributed large cents. Half the list is currency: colonial, fractional, large, broken bank notes. The list predated their first

auction sale by 18 months. According to Remy Bourne, the early NN FPLs are quite scarce, but the scarcity has not yet been reflected in their price. This lot also includes the first 2 FPLs from Lester Merkin, April 1961 & Fall-Winter 1961.

228. Rarcoa. The N.M. KAUFMAN Collection. August 4-5, 1978. 139 pp. 974 lots. 8 color pls & Ills. But for a bend at bottom of front cover, beter than Fine. (12.00)

A legendary collection with a neat story. 110 lots of important private & territorial gold. Absolutely outstanding gold: 33 lots of pre-1830 \$5.00s featuring one of two known 1825/4 \$5.00s. A slew of proof \$10,00s and \$20,00s. 5 unique patterns in white metal,

229. Stack's. Several Small Collection of United States & Foreign Coins. February 5, 1949. 24 pp. 809 lots. A small edge tear on cover, contents VF. (20.00)

A scarce small format sale as are the following two lots. Half cents: 1796 w/pole, 1802 over 1800, 1831 original, 1848 small berries. 1795 'Jefferson head' cent.

230. Stack's. Several Small Collection of United States, Foreign & Ancient Coins. March 26, 1949. 31 pp. 982 lots. (20.00)

Good half cents: 20 uncs, proof 1831, 1841, 1847, 1848.

231. Stack s. [J. H. SOUTH COLLECTION]. February 24, 1951. 32 pp. 909 lots. (20.00)

16 1794 attributed, provenanced large cents. 10 1795 half dollars, many ex-"Newcomber". This lot also includes another small format Stack's sale of 5/15-16/53, mostly priced, with worn cover.

232. Stack s. The HENRY PIRTLE Collection of United States Paper Money 1861-1950. April 18,1953. np. 910 lots. Fine. (20.00)

An especially elusive, important sale of 700 + lots of rare and quality currency. This lot also includes 2 scarce 1953 Stack's sales: The Knowles Collection, and a slightly waterstained Guggenheimer/Hutchinson, signed by Charles Ruby, with important currency.

233. 3 1951 Stack's sales. 7th NENA, KAUFMAN'S Dollars of the World, and WEIHMAN'S Gold Coins of the World (20 00)

The small format (once folded) NENA is quite scarce. The Kaufman is mandatory for crown collectors. The WEIHMAN has become surprisingly scarce.

234. Stack's. The EMPIRE Collection. November 12, 1957. 112 pp. 1916 lots. 111s. (20.00)

An underappreciated sale: proof half cents, 184 attributed large cents, many proof bust halves, Atwater 1794 dollar. This lot also includes the 3 other Stack's sales: the scarce 1955 DR. CLIFFORD SMITH Collection with important bust halves, U.S. gold, & large currency; a once folded 1955 FARISH BALDENHOFER Collection, important half cents, colonials, and gold; 1957 SCHMANDT.

235. Stack's. The SAMUEL W. WOLFSON Collection of United States Coins, Parts I (Gold coins) & II (Silver & copper coins). Totalling 226 pp. & 2585 lots. 111s. (25.00)

Held in October 1982 and May 1983, this major collection is vastly underappreciated. The gold sale (priced in ink) offers quality and rarity in all series: scads of proofs, 1841 \$2.50, 1854-S \$5.00. Part II offers many proof half cents, Coulton-Davis 1804 dollar, 1827 25c, early super half dimes. But for minor cover softing, beeter than Fine.

- 236. Stack's and Coin Galleries. 23 Fixed Price Lists. (15.00)

  Mostly from between 1952 and 1970, many illustrated. Also 5 other FPLS, with 3 Jim Kelly from the mid-40s. A most useful lot.
- 237. Wilson, Cal. Numismatic Literature Sale XII. September 21, 1985. 85 pp. 1348 lots, Prl. (10.00) Noteworthy for about 500 lots of auction catalogues from 1860-1920.
- 238 A Konvolut of 15 different ANA SALES 1948-1974. VG or better, unless noted. (60.00) 1948 (well-used), 1950, 1954, 1957, 1958 (good), 1962-66, 1968-69, 1971-72 (waterstained), 1974. The '54 and '57 contain important large cents, '58 has Judd's patterns. Great research.
- 239 A Konvolut of 40 U. S. Auction Catalogues. (50.00)

Includes 1988 ANA, Brand-Lichtensfels I, Golden Sale of the Century II, 1957 Menjou. Mostly from Schulman, Kreisberg, Mayflower, and Christensen. A few may have some waterstaining or solled covers (one with no covers). The majority are Fine or better. The value of the information will far exceed their price.

240. A Konvolut of 46 Coin Galleries Sales from 1954 to 1981. (25.00)

Coin Galleries is Stack's non-US division. These underappreciated sales offer important consignments and information about ancients, medievals, and foreign, especially European. Of note: the July 1954 sale, the 1955 Bernard Komm, the 1956 Coiller crown collection (ail 3 under the auspices of the Clain-Stefaneilis). The remainder mostly from the '60s, with multiple copies of several sales. Conditions average VG.

241. A Konvolut of 4 large format sales of Numismatic Literature. (15.00)

Katens' #64 and #65 totalling 2000 lots. Cal Wilson's #10, 1/12/85, 400 lots. Kolbe/Spink #4, 12/1/85, 450 lots, Pri.

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242. Hewitt, Lee. NUMISMATIC SCRAPBOOK. 79 issues from 1935:to 1956. (45.00)

The four 1935 issues are the 1961 reprints. 1948 and 1952 are complete years. There are 7 1938, 6 from 1941, 8 from 1943, 10 from 1944, and 6 from 1949. Also included is an original November 1936.

243. Liberty Seated Collectors Club. THE GOBRECHT JOURNAL. 15 consecutive issues from November 1980 (\*19) to July 1985 (\*33). 12mo. Glossy CaC. Average VF. (Also includes JOHN REICH JOURNAL, Vol. No. 1) (75.00)

These journals rarely appear on the secondary market. They contain key resource material for the collector of the series: frequency of offerings for each denomination, new varieties, primary research. Authors include Ahwash, McCloskey, Davis, Lange, White, Cohen.

244. Morley, Tom. 1794 LARGE CENTS GRADED AND UPDATED. 1979. 12mo. CaC. 41 pp. 111s. VF. (30.00)

'The Latest information on the 1794's Plus for the First Time a Photographic Grading Guide to the Series'. This also includes a rarity guide, and condition census for each variety.

245. New Netherlands Coin Co. NUMISMA 4 consecutive issues from November 1958, Whole no. 24, to November 1960, Whole no. 27). 12mo. 3 holed as issued for binder. 140 pp. total. Average Fine. (10.00)

Wonderful news, gossip, primary research from Ford and Breen, and mall bid sales with the usual New Netherlands annotations.

246. Raymond, Wayte. STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS AND CURRENCY From 1652 to Present Day. 1935 (first) edition. 1934. Octavo. Maroon cloth. 173 pp. 111s. Vals. Some dull spots on covers, barely perceptible grafitti - COINS - on spine. Fine. (50.00)

The Important first edition. The covers are bright and sound, except as noted. The end papers show discoloring. A few scattered pencil checks inside. Still this is a most satisfactory, sound copy.

- 247. U.S. Treasury Department. (2 years) ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT [Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1923 and June 30, 1930. Octavo. CaC. Ex-Library. Covers shabby, contents Fine. (8.00)
- 248. U. S. Treasury Department. (2 years) Twenty-Sixth ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT...For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1898. Octavo. Black cloth. 558 pp. Ex-Library. Covers lightly rubbed Fine. (also ANNUAL REPORT...for...1913). (20.00)

Extensive correspondence and testimony from the 1898 International Monetary Commission about the silver situation in India and its international implications.

249. U.S. Treasury Department. (3 consecutive years) ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT. 1964, 1965, 1966. Octavo. CaC. Ex-Library. Nearly VF. (15.00)

These reports for these three years are particularly important documentary numismatic references: the coin 'shortage', the Kennedy half, clad coinage. These not only have extensive charts and tables, but also contain the text of Congressional hearings involving the above issues.

Following are especially useful Stack's sales. Many of these are particularly elusive, especially in such outstanding condition - VF or better, unless noted.

250. Stack's. THE F. S. GUGGENHEIMER COLLECTION. January 22-24, 1953. 72 pp. 1342 lots w/Prl. 111s. (15.00)

An offering of grand rarities: 1827 proof quarter, 1894-S dime, 1876-CC 20c, 1838-O half. Also of note is the Hutchinson currency collection, not to mention the 100 hundred ducat coins from Hungary and Poland.

251. Stack's. [JOSEPH SAWICKI COLLECTION OF LARGE CENTS]. February 27, 1954. 32 pp. 969 lots w/Prl. 3 plates of large cents. (25.00)

This particularly elusive small format sale features 180 of Sawicki's large cents, mostly Newcomb dates. The well-provenanced cents also offer useful text.

252. Stack's. THE ANDERSON DUPONT CATALOGUE, Part 1: Large Cents. September 24-25, 1954. 92 pp. 1028 lots w/Prl. 11 page plate supplement. (45.00)

The sale is noteworthy for a variety of reasons. Dr. Sheldon and Walter Breen catalogued this legendary sale; obviously the extensive text is of highest importance. The offerings include 524 "Sheldon" dates: 24 1793s, 75 1794s, 70 1803s, and a 1795 "Jefferson head". For a seminar in large cents, just sit down with a copy of Sheldon's <u>Early American Cents</u>, this catalogue, and you will be enthralled. This particular catalogue is in unusually good condition. Anderson Dupont is the name of a New England antique firm, not the name of the original collector, whose name has never been released. The full story of this remarkable collection has yet to be told, 34 years afterwards.

253. Stack's. SAMUEL W. WOLFSON COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES COINS, Part II: Silver and Copper Coins. May 3-4, 1963. 99 pp. 1541 lots w/Prl. 111s. (15.00)

Nice group of half cents with 11 proofs including an 1841 original. Highlights include excellent half dimes and dimes, 1827 quarter, 1878-CC 20c, 1884 Trade Dollar and the Coulton-Davis 1804 dollar.

254. Stack's. [WILLIAM VAN RODEN COLLECTION OF LARGE CENTS]. May 2, 1968. 134 pp. 1734 lots w/Prl. IIIs. (12.00)

Highlights include 221 large cents with 100 Sheldon dates, 100 lots of colonials, 65 nice half cents, 500 lots of U.S. gold.

255. Stack's. GASTON DI BELLO COLLECTION, Part II: United States Gold, Silver & Copper Coins & Patterns. May 14-16, 1970. 150 pp. 1430 lots. 111s. (15.00)

Highlights: 260 patterns featuring Amazonian, "Washiady", and "Schoolgirl" dollars; 36 patterns of gold coinage; 15 1877 halves. Also a BU 1792 half disme, good bust and Gobrecht dollars, and absolutely incredible gold with virtually all the rarities. Finally, 40 lots of most important, well-catalogued territorial gold.

256. Stack's. 2 sales MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL SOCIETY. March 29-31, 1973. 112 pp. 1204 lots w/Prl. 4 plates & ills. AND PUBLIC AUCTION SALE. December 3-4, 1971. 76 pp. 940 lots w/Prl. 4 plates of colonials, also ills. (15.00)

The M.H.S., a vastly underappreciated sale, offers 105 colonials, many incredible; the Clinton cent is the Redbook plate coin; 1786 Nova Constellatio is the Crosby plate coin. Also, well catalogued states colnage, 2 Sommer Islands, 1739 Higley. The second sale offers the 1717 "pre-patent" pattern half cent and cent, and 33 NJ coppers, and good states colnage.

257. Stack's. ROBERT J. KISSNER COLLECTION OF U. S. LARGE CENTS. June 27-28, 1975. 91 pp. 1041 lots. 10 plates. (15.00)

Another underappreciated sale. Kissner's 213 'Sheldon' cents comprise 7 plates and include 60 1794s. The sale also has 130 (well-attributed and with good text) New Jersey coppers, the most offered since the Spiro collection.

258. Stack's. The Outstanding TAD COLLECTION OF U. S. LARGE CENTS. February 4-6, 1976. 127 pp. 1471 lots. 111s. (15.00)

C. Douglas Smith catalogued this important collection of cents which has important text and impressive provenances. There are 199 large cents of which 85 are Sheldon dates. "The great majority jof cents], including the significant rarties, are in such a splendid state of preservation that they have a hypnotic quality all their own." Additionally, there are 105 lots of attributed Overion haives.

259. Stack's. 2 sales. THE HAROLD S. BAREFORD COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES AND ENGLISH COINS. October 22-23, 1981. 168 pp. 626 lots w/Prl. 7 color plates, also ills. AND THE ROBISON COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES GOLD COINS. February 2-3, 1979. 113 pp. 1042 lots. 8 color plates. Each sale has discoloration or minor graffiti on back cover. (10.00)

The superb, but vastly underappreciated, Bareford collection is destined to be a classic: provenanced Connecticut coppers, 102 superb provenanced half dimes, 54 equally superb bust dimes catalogued by Allen Lovejoy, exceptional bust halves and dollars, and excellent patterns. For the British specialist there are 43 hammered pennies with impressive text and 34 superb Civil War issues. The Robison collection features significant nineteenth century examples in the \$2.50 to \$10.00 series, such as an 1841 \$2.50.

260. Stack's. 2 sales. THE FLOYD T. STARR COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES LARGE CENTS & UNITED STATES HALF CENTS. June 13-14, 1984. 156 pp. 930 lots. 8 color plates. AND [...THE FLOYD T. STARR COLLECTION - PART II]. December 4-6, 1984. 214 pp. 1988 lots. 7 color plates (1 of large cents) & ills. (20.00)

This collection is one of the stellar (i) large cent sales. For accuracy's sake, Part i has a dent at the bottom of the backstrip.

261. Stack's. THE MAGNIFICENT HERMAN HALPERN COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES LARGE CENTS. March 16-17, 1988. 244 pp. 774 lots. 8 color plates & Ills. (15.00)

The latest entry in the 'Decade of the Legendary Large Cent Sales'. The 'Sale of the 1950's' was the Anderson-Dupont. The 80's have brought us the Van Cleave, the Robinson Brown, the Starr, and the Halpern, in response to those who said there were no more great collections.

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262. THE COIN DEALER NEWSLETTER (The Graysheet). 65 of 66 issues from February 23, 1973 to May 31, 1974. VF, (35.00)

The pre-1975 Issues tend to be rather elusive. Absolutely fascinating for the numismatic historian, essential for the researcher. Example: In the 2/23/73 issue there is no, not one, none, nada, nyet, mention of any numerical grade, merely "unc" and "Gem BU". Yet, by the 5/31/74 issue, "Gem MS-70 pieces bring higher prices." What was an MS-70 in 1974? In 1988? Do you really believe 1988 grading will be the standard in 15 years, 10 years, 5 years, next Thursday? Caveat your basic emptor.

263. Davenport, John S. GERMAN TALERS SINCE 1800. 1949. 8vo. Gray cloth. 205 pp. 111s. Fine. (15.00)

Valuation sheet taped to rear free-end paper. Covers Dav. 501-974. This lot also includes Reinfeld's World's Most Popular Coins, 1956.

264. Devine, Larry. The Fountainhead of Fine Coins. Lists 6-12 from 2/76 to summer/fall 79. But for highlighting, VF. (15.00)

The small format lists averaged 80 pages, with over 1000 lots, and 15 plates per issue. Most useful for the collector, infrequently offered. This lot also includes Klawans' Grading and Dating Roman imperial Coins, 1953, 1st edition.

265. Fox, Les and Sue. SILVER DOLLAR FORTUNE TELLING. 1977, 1st edition. 4to. Glossy CaC. 187 pp. 111s. Covers Fine, contents VF. (15.00)

The first edition, which happens to be in large format, is rather elusive. Interesting for the price projections to 1987. This lot also includes the Foxes' Fight inflation with Silver Dollars, 1982 edition, and George Hayling's The Profit March of the Buffalos & Indians from 1935–1970.

266. Hager, Alan. THE ACCUGRADE SYSTEM. Volume 1: A Comprehensive Guide to Morgan and Peace Dollars in Accugrade "Uncirculated". 1984. 4to. Padded black cloth. 550 pp. 111s. Near Mint. (50.00)

A date-by-date analysis which attempts to create a pricing system for uncs based on nine combinations of strike and luster. Information is provided about surviving specimens in each variable state, investment, price history, and rarity guides. Appears infrequently on the secondary market.

267. Hager, Alan. THE ACCUGRADE SYSTEM. Volume 2: A Comprehensive Guide to Morgan and Peace Dollars in Accugrade "Prooflikes and Proofs". 1984. 4to. Textured black cloth. 567 pp. 111s. Near Mint. (50,00)

Sets up a comparable system to the above based on the variables of strike, and lustre, for prooflikes from various mints. Also infrequently offered.

268. Hess, Adolph. MUNZEN UND MEDAILLEN. June 21-22, 1927. 4to. CaC. 110 pp. 2384 lots. 21 fine plates. Covers soiled, cellophane tape covering cover photo, backstrip neatly reinforced with cloth tape. Contents clean and Fine. (10.00)

Especially useful for 16th to 18th century German states.

269. JSD (Santa Ana. CA). 20 Fixed Price Lists of Ancient Coins. #38-46, 51-61. 12mo, wraps. Average VF. (10.00)

Each averages 8 pp. with 4 glossy plates. Each cover has a different half page of text about ancient colnage.

270. Kraus, Franz Ferdinand (Braunschweig). VERSTEIGERUNGSKATALOG [Ed. do they play Scrabble by the same rules in Germany?] Nr. 1. 4to. June 30-July 1, 1924. 56 pp. 692 lots. 12 fine plates printed on cardboard. Covers crudely retaped, disbound but present; the contents Fine. (20.00)

Rough translation, 'Coins and Medals from Braunschweig (Brunswick) and New Saxony'. A neat collection from 16th century onward with multiple (?) multiple talers; great stuff. A scarce sale.

271. Monnaies et Medailles (Basel). VENTE PUBLIQUE XXVII. MONNAIES ITALIENNES. November 15-16, 1963. 4to. CaC. np (70). 984 lots, estimate sheet. 67 pls. A slight split in backstrip, still virtually VF. (20.00)

An especially desirable sale as quality references for Italian states coinage is always in major demand due to its scarcity. Absolutely superb medieval Italian states. This firm, also called Munzen und Medaillen when the catalogues are printed in German, is a major European auction house. Do not be put off by any language barrier in a well-catalogued sale. Easy to follow, well-attributed with an excellent bibliograpphy.

272. Monnaies et Medailles (Basel). VENTE PUBLIQUE 66. MONNAIES GRECQUES ET ROMAINES.

MONNAIES ANTIQUES DE LA CRETE. October 22-23, 1984. 4to. CaC. 104 pp. 886 lots, estimate sheet. 58 glossy pls. VF. (15.00)

Again, easy to follow, well-catalogued, with a superb offering of colnage of Crete, 200 lots of Roman republican, 300 lots of Roman imperial. The quality of the offerings in important European sales is infrequently offered stateside. This lot also includes a small 1973 Sotheby (London) sale of South African coins.

273. Munzen und Medaillen (Basel). AUKTION 71. May 18-19, 1987. 4to. CaC. 144 pp. 1833 lots. 100 pls. Near Mint. (25,00)

800 Important lots of well-catalogued, easy-to-follow Swiss cantonal. Also, excellent 15th to 17th century Bavarian, Swabian (Schwaben), and French. For the collector of pre-Krause European, these catalogues are invaluable. Also 3 large format sales 15-17 from Auctiones (Basel) 1985 to 1988. Again, good ancients, medieval, and foreign.

274. Raymond, Wayte. COINS OF THE WORLD, Nineteenth Century Issues. 1947, first edition. 8vo. Blue cloth. 252 pp. 111s. Vals. Faded at spine, covers VG, contents near VF. (15.00)

This edition is in-demand by collectors of the series. Historically, this was the first widely available 19th century foreign reference since the Scott series 1900-ish. The forerunner of Krause and Yeoman. A nice sound copy. This lot also includes Mort Reed's Cowles Complete Encyclopedia of U.S. Coins, 1969.

275. Rosenberg, Sally (Frankfurt). VERSTEIGERRUNGS-KATALOG 65. November 12, 1928. 4to. CaC. 171 pp. 3180 lots, Prl. 19 fine plates. Covers soiled, small corner torn off, cloth tape on backstrip, contents Fine. (25.00)

The German is clear and easy to follow Especially strong in 16th to 18th century Germanic. Especially useful with the PRL.

276. Smith, Kenneth. CHECK LISTS OF TRANSPORTATION TOKENS. About 100 mimeo d sheets. (10.00)

From the consignor, 'This is the preliminary subscription copy sent to American Vecturist Association members prior to the publication of Smith's book on foreign transportation tokens.' The checklist chapters cover the British Isles, mainland Europe, and Scandinavia.

277. A Konvolut of the first year of COINS Magazine and its forerunners. (15.00)

This lot consists of 1 Flying Eaglet, 12/56; 5 Coin Press (two Krause Issues), and the first 11 months (in 10 issues) of the first year of Coins. Flying Eaglet, originated by Frank Spadone in 1955, begat Spadone's Coin Press in 1961 which was purchased by Krause in October of 1961 which then became Coins in January 1962, with the first issue being numbered Volume IX.

278. A Konvolut of important, illustrated fixed price lists of ancient coins. 36 issues. (20.00)

Ed Waddell: #1, 3-7. Excellent cataloguing of good ancients. PMV: 3 sans numbers, #4-7, 9-12. Another quality presentation. Frank Kovacs: #1-22, missing 10, 14, and 18. The information contained in these quality lists is quite valuable for the beginning to intermediate collector.

279. Another Konvolut of important, illustrated fixed price lists of ancient coins, primarily. 48 issues. (25.00)

Hartan Berk: Lists #4-7, 1976-1980. Alex Malloy: 7 small format lists from 1973-1984. Robert Myers: Lists 1-5 (1973), profusely Illustrated. Munzen und Medaillen: 32 Illustrated lists - #407, 461, 463-483, 503-511, (1979-1985).

280. A Konvolut of auctions of exonumia. 17 sales. (30.00)

Johnson & Jensen: Sales 5 (12/9/79), 6, & 9 (12/14/80). Profusely illustrated large format sales of important medals. Rich Hartzog: sales 5/30/78 & 2/26/79. Extremely useful, large format, profusely illustrated featuring Masonic, Exposition, Civil War tokens, and Columbiana exonumia. Paul Cunningham: 8 large format sales - 25 (3/18/78), 28, 30-31, 33-34, 38, 45 (3/10/84). Everything for the exonumaniac. Most sales are 2000+ lots. The bibliomaniac will find the extensive listings of books invaluable. Tom Wall: 4 large format sales (two missing front covers) averaging 2600 lots. 4/81, 2/82/, 12/83, 10/85. Infrequently offered wide-ranging lists of exonumia.

281. A Konvolut of small format FPLs of foreign interest. 22 issues. (15.00)

Almanzar's: 11 lists from July 1967 to October 1975. Featuring Latin American and British Commonwealth, especially useful for the collector of 8 reales. World-Wide Coins: 11 lists (1 duplicate) from 1972 to 1976. Profusely illustrated, important offerings. At various times the principals were Jim Elmen, Sue McCarty, Warren Tucker, and Lou Collins.

282. A Konvolut of periodicals. 23 issues. (25.00)

Wayte Raymond: 'Coin Topics #10', 3-4/38. Bowers and Ruddy - 'Special Coin Letter': 8 issues from 1977 to 1981.

Numismatic Digest and Western Coin Collector: 5 issues from 1967 & 1968. This is an elusive large format magazine. Franklin Mint: 6 copies of the monthly 'Almanac' and the 1968 and 1969 annual 'Numismatic Issues'. The Orange Disc: Gulf Oil Monthly 9-10/65 featuring article about the Treasury with coin Illustrations.

## CONSIGNMENT OHIO

283. Akers, David. UNITED STATES GOLD COINS. An Analysis of Auction Records. Volume VI: Double Eagles 1849-1933. 1982. 4to, pictorial boards. +04 pp. 111s. VF. (35.00)

The most in-demand volume of the series. Fascinating information. For example, there is a legal specimen of the 1933 \$20.00 in the Smithsonian collection (illustrated herein).

- 284 ANNALI 16-17. Instituti Italiano Di Numismatica. 1970. 8vo. CaC. 415 pp. 17 pls. Covers soiled, contents VF. (15.00)
- C-S 358. This edition of the annual journal produced since 1954 consists of 5 lengthy, scholarly monographs. Punic and Sicilo-Punic coins, Constantinian coinage, a Roman republican hoard of 250 denaril found in Arezzo in 1961 (I think my translation is OK), the numismatic holdings in various museum collections, and on medieval Italian coinage. Also a brief paper by Ross Holloway (in English) on Syracusan bronzes.
- 285. Boggs. Winthrop S. TEN DECADES AGO 1840-1850. A Study of the Work of Rawdon, Wright, Hatch, and Edson of New York City. 1949. Svo. heavy CaC. 100 pp. Glossy IIIs. Better than Fine. (50.00)

A production of the American Philatelic Society. RWH&E became part of the American Bank Note Company in 1858. This profusely illustrated work deals with the firm's banknote engraving activities, 25 bank notes are plated. Also, reprinted within is the entire February 1862 article from Harper's New Monthly Magazine on the manufacture of banknotes. A really neat, scarce book which brought \$90.00 in Kolbe's Lee-Champa sale.

- 286. Brooke, G.C. ENGLISH COINS From the Seventh Century to the Present Day. 1955. 8vo, red cloth, gilt. 300 pp. 72 fine plates. Some pencil notations, Fine. (20.00)
- C-S 9670", 'The best general survey'. Issued in five editions, plus revisions since 1932, it is a most readable, thorough overview. Most valuable for its discussion and tables of early hammered and medieval. A valuable reference
- 287. Cach, Frantisek [The Earliest Bohemian Coins. Bohemian and Moravian Issues of the Bracteate Period] NEJSTARSKI CESKE MINCE.... 3 vols 1970, 1972, 1974. 4to, cloth. Near Mint (90.00)
- C-S 6992-6993. The English language summary makes these Czechoslovaklar references on medievals absolutely problem-free. The three volumes cover from the 10th to 12th centuries. Each of the 1015 coins is fully illustrated (woodcuts) on both sides, fully identified, and indexed. Superior references on medievals are quite elusive.
- 288. Criswell, Jr., Grover C. NORTH AMERICAN CURRENCY. The Standard Paper Money Reference. 1965, 1st ed., 8vo. green cloth, 910 pp. 111s. Vals. Virtually VF. (35.00)
- C-S 13359 A most (justifiably) eagerly sought comprehensive work: Colonial and Continental currency, Confederate paper money and bonds, obsolete notes, Canadian and Mexican (which Criswell located between Mass and Miss.). A bright, clean copy
- 289 Criswell, Jr., Grover and Clarence L. CONFEDERATE AND SOUTHERN STATES CURRENCY: A Descriptive Listing, Including Rarity, and Prices. 1957, 1st edition. 8vo, cloth. 277 pp. 111s. Fine. (20.00)
  - C-S 13447\*, 'A handy guidebook with prices for the collector' Includes the 1958-59 price supplement.
- 290. Crosby, Sylvester. EARLY COINS OF AMERICA. 1965 TAMS reprint (sighl) of the 1875 original. 4to, maroon cloth 378 pp. 10 pfs. VF. (40.00)

An exact reproduction of an 1875 Crosby, no new forewords, afterwords, or appendixes.

- 291. Fiala, Eduard. Beschreibung der Sammlung Bohmischer Munzen und Medaillen des MAX DONEBAUER. 1970 Graz expanded reprint of the 1889-1891 original. 2 Volumes, 4to, green cloth, dj. 714 pages of text. 93 pages of plates. Near Mint. (95.00)
- C-S 8367a. The standard reference collection of Bohemian coinage thoroughly describing 7323 coins. Extensive, useful indexes. Written in German, but easy to follow (a snap with a Cassell's German-English dictionary). Another superior reference on medievals. Scarce, especially stateside.
- 292. Gaettens, Dr. Philip R. WARUM UND WIE SAMMELT MAN MUNZEN UND MEDAILLEN. 1926. 12mo, green boards. 16 pp. 20 fine plates. Boards slightly bowed, VG. (20.00)
- C-S 181. Loosely (and optimistically) translated as 'How and Why to Collect Coins and Medals'. Each plate (with a facing page describing each illustration) contains ancients, medievals, and medals organized by theme and type.
- 293. Gilbert, James Henry. TRADE AND EARLY CURRENCY IN OREGON. A Study in the Commercial and Monetary History of the Pacific Northwest. 1907. 8vo, blue library cloth. 126 pp. Better than Fine.

(30.00)

- C-S 12126. From its beginnings as part of the Hudson Bay Company 'lease' to the discovery of gold and the production of the Oregon Exchange Company and 'Beaver Money' to the Civil War and 'Greenbacks'. Important for private and territorial gold and Oregon bank notes. Scarce.
- 294. Haguenauer, M.-C. LA COLLECTION DE MONNAIES ET DE MEDAILLES JAPONAISES DE L'INSTITUT D'ETUDES JAPONAISES DE L'UNIVERSITE DE PARIS. Annales de L'Universite de Paris. Septembre-Octobre 1937. Pages 422-440. 2 plates. Uncut and unopened, some edge chipping, heavier on front cover, contents nearly Fine. (15.00)

A description of the oriental numismatic holdings of the university, emphasizing their holdings of Japanese since the 7th century.

295. Hibler, Harold E. and Charles V. Kappen. SO-CALLED DOLLARS. 1963. 4to, Yellow cloth. 156 pp. Ills. and Vals. Top edge rubbed, overall Fine. (17.76)

The standard reference, in major demand, lliustrates virtually all of the 1033 items beginning with the Erie Canal medal of 1826 - thorough descriptions and explanations. While the valuations are laughable, their relative values are of use.

296. Huntington, C.C. A HISTORY OF BANKING AND CURRENCY IN OHIO BEFORE THE CIVIL WAR. Ohio Achaeological and Historical Quarterly. July 1915 (Volume XXIV, No. 3) 8vo, green cloth, gilt. 538 (ol 602) pp. Maps. Tables. Covers a bit worn at extremities, else Fine. (65.00)

Covers the development of banking and history from 1803 to 1863 and 'the relations of those subjects to the general economic and political history of the state." Super bibliography. Important. ALSO in this lot - Robert and Jack Friedberg, Paper Money of the United States, 1964 (5th ed.)

297. Karst, Josef. PRECIS DE NUMISMATIQUE GEORGIENNE. 1938. 8vo, CaC. 92 pp. 10 plates. Unopened and uncut. Essentially Fine. (30.00)

C-S 9025 A history and description of Georgian (Russia, y'all) numismatics from the 7th century to 1815. While the historical text is in French, the descriptive and metrology sections are easy to follow.

298. Katz, Dr. Viktor A THOUSAND YEARS OF BOHEMIAN OFFICIAL COINAGE. A Brief Survey 1929. 4to, CaC. 29 pp. 3 fine plates. Fine. (50.00)

C-S 8372 The scarce original in English. Katz' survey is quite comprehensive and readable. 'The minting of coins was introduced in Europein the X century simultaneously with Christianity'. Includes the marks of the masters of the mints from 1537 to 1716 and 89 identified plated coins, obverse and reverse. A superior reference.

299 L[ane]-P[oole], S[tanley]. CATALOGUE OF A COLLECTION OF MOHAMMADAN COINS BELONGING TO E.T. ROGERS BEY. 1883. 12mo, wraps. 59 pp. Covers loxed and chipped at backstrip, contnts Fine. (22 00)

An off-print from The Numismatic Chronicle, Voi. III., Third Series, pp. 202-260. 'Rogers Bey entrusted to me the presentation to the Society of the concise catalogue he had himself drawn up....' Describes 529 coins of the two dynasties of the Eastern Khalifehs, the Amawis of Damascus and the Abbasis of Baghdad.

300. Low, Lyman. HARD TIMES TOKENS. 1955 reprint of the 1900 2nd edition. 4to, red flexible cloth. 102 pp. 15 pls. Nearly VF. (20.00)

Charles Kappen's reprint includes Low's 1906 supplement, Dunham's 1910 "Easy Finding" List, and Edgar Adams' photographic plates. For the unfamiliar (or the growing number of the forgetful), Low listed and described 183 HTT's, with a rarity guide, many with significant annotations.

301. Marek, Vaclav. ROMAN REPUBLICAN COINS in the Collection of the Charles University. 1985. Svo, cloth. 112 pp. 42 plates. VF (25.00)

Good news: despite being published by Karlova (Charles) University in Prague, it's all in English. The Charles U. collection has a storied past, since its formation in the late 1700's through various wars (written about in the foreword). 287 Republican coins: 269 silver, 17 bronzes, 1 aureus. The catalogue, using the Crawford arrangement, extensively describes and annotates each piece, which is plated. Not often available stateside. Neat.

302. MEDALS OF THE ROMAN PONTIFFS FROM MARTIN V., 1417, TO PIUS IX., 1870. Coined at the Roman Mint. Commemorating Some of the Principal Incidents in Their Respective Pontificates. 1882. 16mo, wraps crudely bound in library boards. 104 pp. Nearly disbound, contents Fine. (20.00)

'Translated from the Italian Catalogue'. Lists and describes 752 medals.

303. Meek, Wilbur T. THE EXCHANGE MEDIA OF COLONIAL MEXICO. 1948. 12mo, CaC. 114 pp. VF. (15.00)

C-S 11525: 'Monetary history from 1519 to 1821.' A description of the money in use and a record of the coinage and usage laws. Discusses the conditions before the establishment of the Mexico City mint and its subsequent operations. Evidently Meek's

doctoral thesis. Extensively documented.

304. Metcatf, D.M. THE COINAGE OF SOUTH GERMANY IN THE THIRTEENTH CENTURY, 1961. 8vo, boards, 79 pp. 111s. Maps. Better than Fine, (15.00)

C-S 6517. "...the influence of the geographical area on the issue and circulation of coinage in the age of the regional pfennig". A description of 718 pfennigs, the articles the compilation of his serial writings in the "Numismatic Circular". A clearly written, most useful reference on medievals.

305. Nayar, T. Balakrishnan. THE DOWLAISHWERAM HOARD OF EASTERN CHALUKYAN AND CHOLA COINS. 1966. 4to, CaC. 42 pp. Maps. 7 plates. Corners folded, else nearly VF. (10.00)

'Builetin of the Madras Government Museum', Volume IX, No. 2. A systematic, scholarly account of the region's 11th century coinage followed by a thorough description of the 127 hoard coins.

306. New Netherlands Coin Co. NUMISMA. 4 issues. Averaging 14 pages and 450 lots each. Nearty Fine (15.00)

Vol. 1 no.3 (8/54): 150 attributed colonials, 50 Conn. & 25 NJ Vol. 2 no 2 (3-4/55): 120 attributed (by Haseltine & Beistle nos.) bust halves. Vol. 3, no. 5 (9-10/56): all Canadian, 125 mostly attributed tokens. Vol. 3 no 6 (11-12/56): Mail Bid Sale

307. NUMISMATICKY SBORNIK [MISCELLANY]. 7 consecutive volumes from Volume 11 (1955) to Volume VIII (1963/64). 8vo, quarter cloth (and cloth). Fine & better (\$5.00)

C-S 815. The successor to the Czechoslovakian Numismatic Review (Numismaticky Casopis Ceskoslovensky) is issued by the (translation) Czechoslovakian Academy. In the style of ANS Museum Notes or the RNS Numismatic Chronicle, each annual contains about 10 scholarly monographs, well-plated. Apparently, (I seem to have forgotten how to read Czech.) ancients, medievals, and hoards are the prime topics. There is an occasional monograph written in French and Russian. Each annual is hardbound, averages 275 pages, and 10 glossy plates.

308. Pick, Albert und Kurt Jaeger DIE MUNZEN UND BANKNOTEN DER TSCHECHOSLOWAKEI 1970 12mo, pictorial boards. 96 pp. 1118. Vals. Mintages. Near Mint. 110 001

Covers from 1921 to 1969, written in German, BUT also this lot includes Dolores H. Davis Czechoslovak Coins 1972, which is in English. Not only a standard guide, but also gives extensive Czech numismatic history. Also near mint.

309. Rao, M. Rama. SELECT SATAVAHANA COINS IN THE GOVERNMENT MUSEUM, MADRAS. 1959 4to. CaC. 25 pp. 2plates. Covers peripherally faded, nearly VF. (10 00)

'Bulletin of the Madras Government Museum' Volume VII. No. 3. From the museum's collection of over 6000 ("most of them are copies and many are worn out") coins, the author discusses 223 then systematically lists them in a sylloge format.

310. SCHWEIZERISCHE NUMISMATISCHE RUNDSCHAU / REVUE SUISSE DE NUMISMATIQUE. [Volume] 60. 1981 to [Volume] 64, 1985. 3vo. CaC Glossy contents. The covers Fine & better, the contents VF. (65.00)

The annual publication of the (translation) Switzerland Society of Numismatics. A prestigious, scholarly journal averaging 250 pages and 24 super plates which deals mostly with ancient and medieval coinage. Corresponds to the NUMISMATIC CHRONICLE and NUMISMATICKY SBORNIK. The articles are in French, German, and English (Michael O Hara on Byzantine coinage, Andrew Burnett on Syracusan, Cornellus Vermeule on Aboukir medallions). Any intermediate collector should have no problem with the language because of the extensive documentation and plates. Eagerly sought (no foolin.)

- 311. Scott, Kenneth. COUNTERFEITING IN COLONIAL AMERICA 1957. Svo. black cloth. 283 pp. 8 plates. Some slight discoloration on the back cover, else Fine. (20,00)
- C-S 13645\*, "Comprehensive study on various forms of wampum, foreign coins, paper money, counterfetted by the British or local people". Eagerly sought and of obvious importance for the collector of early American coinage. Reads like a novel, but still a serious work.
- 312. Sem, Julius. | Czechoslovakian Paper Money | PAPIROVE PENIZE Na Uzemi Ceskoslovenska 1762-1967. 8vo, pictorial boards. 86 pp. 111s VF (20.00)

C-S 12864 The English language summary makes it no problem to use this profusely illustrated standard reference

313. Shibusawa, Baron Eiichi. REPORT ON CURRENCY ADJUSTMENT IN KOREA. 1909. Hto, green cloth, gilt. 116 pp. Charts. Maps. 5 plates. Covers a bit rubbed, VG. (85.00)

Bowker 735. A neat history of Korean currency. Due to its archaic and anarchic currency system, Shibusawa's Japanese company was hired by the Koreans to resolve the problem. This work, in English, is a comprehensive, well-organized study (of significant numlsmatic value) of Korean coinage from the 9th century to 1908, covering the "yopchon" and nickel problem internally and in trade, the issuing of banknotes, the "new" coinage, and the history of Japanese coinage in Korea. The plates are of old and new Korean currency. Although the book appears concavely bowed, it is the result of the folding charts and maps. English language works on Korean coinage are distinctly elusive; this is a sound copy of a rare work.

314. TAMS JOURNAL. Official Organ of the Token and Medal Society. 1980 to 1984 (Volumes 20-24).

complete in 36 issues. 4to, CaC. VF. (35.00)

These profusely illustrated issues are coveted by exonumismaniacs. Super articles, mail-bid sales, systematic listings of tokens and medals. Great stuff.

315. Taxay, Don (edited and revised by Joseph Rose and Howard Hazelcorn). THE COMPREHENSIVE CATALOGUE AND ENCYCLOPEDIA OF UNITED STATES COINS. 1976. 1975. 8vo, cloth. 356 pp. 111s. Vals. Mintages. VF. (20.00)

The second edition of the 1971 Taxay work. From colonials to gold, patterns to proofs - the entire range of U.S. colnage with annotations. Extensive text. The chapter on essais and patterns is especially expansive.

316. (U.S.) Senate Miscellaneous Documents. REPORT OF THE INDIAN CURRENCY COMMITTEE. 1893. 8vo, tan leather, red and black spine labels. 825 pp. Covers rubbed, front free-endpaper torn out, ex-tibrary, binding sound, contents fine. (35.00)

The complete Herschell Commission report (with documents and testimony) on the coinage of silver in India. Because of a major Indian crisis caused by the severe devaluation of silver prices vis-a-vis gold, India wished to go onto the gold standard. Although seemingly exclusively a British problem, the international (Berlin Economic Conference) and U.S. implications of the bi-metallism debate and the subsequent Bryan ("Cross-of-gold")-McKinley election made this critical. For researchers, the superb index is invaluable.

317. Wei, Wen Pin. THE CURRENCY PROBLEM IN CHINA. 1914. 8vo, CaC. 156 pp. 111s. Uncut and unopened, edges chipped, else Fine. (30.00)

Bowker 834. Wel's doctoral dissertation at Columbia. Purpose - "to present the different phases of the outstanding currency reform in China and to trace the various attempts at reform that have been made since the modern movement for reform...." Covers ancient money (pre-Chou dynasty), paper money, current (then) currency conditions, reform from 1895 to 1905, and from 1906 to 1911. With rebinding, a VF copy.

- 318. Willem, John M. THE UNITED STATES TRADE DOLLAR: America's Unwanted, Unhonored Coin. 1965. 8vo, brown cloth. 191 pp. 111s. VF. (20.00)
- C-S 12356. Not only the fascinating study of the rise-and-fall of the American issue, but also a record of trade dollars from the English "Portcullis" dollar to the British Trade Dollar. Discusses the 1884 and 1885 issues. Both easily readable and fully documented with a super bibliography. The standard reference.
- 319. American Numismatic Association. OFFICIAL PROGRAM OF THE 1939 CONVENTION.... 1939 12mo, CaC. 44 pp. 11ls. Once folded, small split at top of backstrip, contents clean and Fine. (17.00)

Includes 18 halftones of New York colonial colnage with annotations, including two Brasher Doubloons, also a bit on the 1939 World's Fair.

- 320. American Numismatic Association. OFFICIAL PROGRAM. 1940 CONVENTION OF THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION.... 1940. 12mo, CaC. np. Covers soiled, contents Fine. (15.00) One plate of three Detroit Coln Club medals.
- 321. A.N.A. SELECTIONS FROM THE NUMISMATIST. 4 Volumes. 1960-1961. 8vo, blue cloth. Covers a bit dusty, contents VF. (40.00)

UNITED STATES COINS: 10 chapters, such as 'Background of American Coinage', 'Large and Small cents', 'Regular Issue Silver and Copper Coins', 'Mint Engravers and Dies'. ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL COINS: the extracts are superior. MODERN FOREIGN CURRENCY: divided into 11 chapters by country, this generally misinterpreted volume title is actually about foreign coinage UNITED STATES PAPER MONEY AND MISCELLANEOUS: poorly titled, the 'Miscellaneous' also covers colonials, private and territorial gold, tokens, coin designs, and medals. These volumes are a wonderful numismatic survey. Vastly underappreciated, becoming elusive complete.

322. Bluestone, Barney. Thirty-Seventh Catalogue. February 5, 1938. 12mo, CaC. 47 pp. 1276 lots. Bottom 18.35% dampstained, else nearly Fine. (12.00)

128 attributed, nice large cents; also, 133 other attributed large cents in various consignments. Nice fractional, obsolete, and large currency.

323. Bowers, Q. David, UNITED STATES GOLD COINS. An Illustrated History. 1984. 4to, red leatherette, gilt. 415 pp. 24 color plates. Near Mint. (33.00)

Produced in the Bowers style as an adjunct to the sale of <u>United States Gold Coins</u>, the Eliasberg collection. While other references may give facts, this readable tome gives unequalled understanding and perspective.

324. Bowers, Q. David. ADVENTURES IN RARE COINS. 1979. 4to, pictorial cloth. 305 pp. 111s. Near Mint. (15.00)

A superior, unique overview of American numismatics. John Ford's "Introduction" about his early days in numismatics is worth alone the price of admission. The profusely illustrated chapters cover numismatic's early days, the gold rush, silver dollars and their role in collecting, and strange happenings at the mint. Good stuff.

325. Breen, Walter. WALTER BREEN'S COMPLETE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF U.S. AND COLONIAL COINS. 1988, 4to, black cloth, gilt. 754 pp. 111s. Mint. (60.00)

Stunning. 'this definitive work describes in exacting detail every major and minor American coin from the first brass Bermuda shillings issued in 1616 to modern-day sandwich coins, including all rarities and variations.' Honored as 'Book of the Year' by the Numismatic Literary Gulid. (The bloody thing weighs 5 pounds!) The 20 page annotated bibliography is invaluable. An immediate classic.

326. Burnie, R.H. SMALL CALIFORNIA AND TERRITORIAL GOLD COINS: Quarter Dollars, Half Dollars, Dollars, 1955, 4to, Original blue leatherette folder, lettered in gilt. 96 pp. Vals. Fine. (35.00)

Includes a brief discussion of the history and minting of these issues. Thorough descriptions, weights and mesaures, prices in three grades, includes proofs. Also includes the infrequently mentioned Alaska and state gold: Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Wash, Louisiana, British Columbia (while not technically a state, since a coin dealer bought Wayne Gretzky, anything Canadian is for sale).

327. Canada Coin Exchange (James E. Charlton). 6 CANADIAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION SALES From 1960 to 1968. Small format, CaC. Fine & better. (35.00)

CNA sales only began in 1954. The CNA sales, which only began in 1954, when available are listed at \$20.00 & up in Canada. This lot, all plated: 1960 (some good tokens), 1961 (good tokens), 1964 (Canadian currency and Breton tokens), 1965 (177 lots of attributed Breton tokens), 1965 w/Prl (5 Indian chief medals including the rare Pontiac), 1967 w/Prl (offering the original plates from Breton and Leroux). The first three sales are particularly nice.

328. Clain-Stefanelli, Elvira Eliza. NUMISMATICS, An Ancient Science. A Survey of its History. Contributions from the Museum of History and Technology. Paper 32. 1965. 4to, CaC. 102 pp. IIIs. Fine. (15.00)

A marvelous overview of various aspects of numismatics by a *grande dame* of numismatics: primitive, coins, paper money, tokens, medals, decorations, etc. Includes a 28 page bibliography. Do yourself a favor when all the numis-nonsense gets you down; sit down one evening with this, and enjoy. Not once does the word "plastic" appear.

329. Davenport, John S. GERMAN SECULAR TALERS 1600-1700. 1976. 8vo, gray cloth. 588 pp. 111s. with supplementary plate. VF. (35.00)

Covers Davenport numbers 6001-7904. The standard reference for a particularly important series. Eagerly sought.

330. Davis. A(ndrew). M(cFarland). COLONIAL CURRENCY REPRINTS 1682-1751. 1964 Burt Franklin reprint of the 1910-1911 original. C-S 13293. Four volumes: 471, 470, 496, and 503 pp. Small 4to. Matching blue cloth, gilt. In original packing box, Mint. (150.00)

Sald a Mr. Kolbe from Crestline, CA, 'A mine of information on the numismatic, financial and economic aspects of American colonial currency, comprised of virtually all the contemporary tracts on the subject.' Note: 'This book is printed on a 25% rag paper, and is guaranteed to have a three hundred year life expectancy.' *Tempus fuglt*; the warranty only has 286 years left. Most important.

331. Federal Brand Enterprises (Cleveland). FLORIDA UNITED NUMISMATIST [F.U.N.] MILLION DOLLAR AUCTION SALE. January 3-7, 1963. 4to. Green cloth, gilt, original covers bound in. 156 pp. 4519 lots, Prl bound in. 16 pls. Fine. (100.00)

The Special Hardbound Edition. Highlights: the 'Dunham' 1829 small letters \$5.00 (Important text) brought \$21,000. 46 lots of encased postage, 40 bust dollars, 350 lots of 'Rolls' (2 of prune Danishes), exceptional large currency, 13 multiple talers, Important Russian. NOTE: a copy in Kolbe's May 30-31, 1988 sale, described as 'very scarce' brought \$170.00

332. Friedberg, Robert. COINS OF THE BRITISH WORLD, Complete from 500 A.D. to the Present. 1962. 4to, Yellow cloth. 210 pp. Ills. Vals. Nearly VF. (15.00)

Quite useful as a straightforward reference, especially for identification of the hammered series in general, and the pennies in particular. Also significant reference on and identification of early Irish and Scottish. And British Commonwealth with good stuff on India and native states. A neat, big book.

333. Friedberg, Robert (also Jack and Arthur Friedberg). GOLD COINS OF THE WORLD Complete from 600 AD to the Present. The first 4 editions. 1958, 1965, 1971, 1976. 4to, cloth. Ills. Vals. Fine & better. (35.00)

The only actual exclusive standard reference, most valuable for identifying and valuing (?) medieval European (especially German and Italian states), Islamic, and Indian gold. Friedberg numbers are still the predominant cataloguing number in auction catalogues. These are nice, clean copies.

334. Friedberg, Robert (and Arthur and Ira Friedberg). PAPER MONEY OF THE UNITED STATES: A

Complete Illustrated Guide with Valuations. 7 consecutive editions from the 3rd through the 9th. 1959-1978. 4to, cloth. Ills. Vals. Fine & better. (75.00)

The standard reference (aithough Fred Schwan of SPMC believes it to be the Hessier). Currency auctions and FPLs use the Friedberg numbers for attributions. Covers all paper money from 1861: large sized notes, fractional currency, small sized notes, and encased postage. Also includes the important supplement with the comprehensive list of National Banks and signatures on U.S. currency. These are clean, sound copies.

335. Foulke, Roy A. SINEWS OF AMERICAN COMMERCE. 1941. 4to, blue cloth w/bronze plated leather medal imbedded in cover. 418pp. 111s. Fine. (25.00)

Published in honor of Dun and Bradstreet's centennial, it is a history of credit in North America since the founding of the Jamestown colony. Important Information about the growth and development of colonial colnage and currency, and late the Bank of North America. Even our Puritan forebears (and Yankee YogiBerras) financed the Plymouth colony. Quite readable and most useful,

336. Gordon, Thomas. THE WAR ON THE BANK OF THE UNITED STATES. 1967 Burt Franklin reprint of the 1834 original. 8vo, brown cloth. 155 pp. VF. (20.00)

Gordon's, then contemporary work, dealt with the batle among Congress, Andrew Jackson, and the Bank. The Implications are significant due to its impact on the Panic of 1837 and, numismatically, the issuance of Hard Times Tokens,

337. Griffiths, William H. THE STORY OF THE AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY. 1959. 4to, maroon quater cloth, gilt. 92 pp. 111s. 8 fine double page, steel plate engravings of vignettes. VG. (75.00)

These were distributed by the ABNC to certain VIPs and stockholders, not soid. Despite this being an important history of the ABNC from 1795 to 1958, the superb vignettes of all the presidents through Elsenhower, 22 foreign dignitaries (Schweitzer, Martl, Sun Yat-Sen, Juarez), 20 prominent Americans (Edison, Daniel Webster, Franklin, Robert E. Lee, Hamilton), 9 of architecture (Statue of Liberty, Notre Dame, the Acropolis), trains, ships, allegories (reminiscent of the Educational Notes), and styles of currency represent the epitome of the craft. Always in demand. The covers VG, the contents Fine, and engravings nearly VF. A heckura book.

338. Hammett, A.B.J., THE HISTORY OF GOLD. 1966. 8vo, maroon cloth, gilt. 107 pp. 111s. Covers a bit dusty, VF. (20.00)

A generally unknown, but significant work. Contrary to its misleading title, in reality it covers gold mines in the southern U.S.: North and South Carolina, Georgia and the Dahlonega mint, Virginia, Texas. Also Bechtler, Templeton Reid, the Charlotte and New Orleans mints. A veritable gold mine on gold mines. Scarce.

- 339. Jaeger, Kurt. DIE NEUER MUNZPRAGUNGEN DER DEUTSCHEN STAATEN VOR EINFUHRUNG DER REICHSWAHRUNG. 10 12mo. volumes (in nine) of German states 19th century coinage. VF. (60.00)
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Vol. 2: Anhalt [and] Baden 1806-1873, 1954, CaC, 40 pp. Ills.

Vols. 3/4: Die munzpragungen des Hauses Habsburg 1780-1918 und der Bundesrepublik Osttereich 1918-1965. 1965. CaC. 183 pp. Ills.

Voi. 5; Konigreich Bayern 1806-1871, 1957, CaC, 80 pp. Ills.

Vol. 6: Frankfurt, Hessen, und Isenburg. 1959. CaC. 83 pp. ills.
Vol. 7: Herzogtum Nassau, Konigreich Westfalen, Furstentumer, Waldeck und Pyrmont,

Lippe-Detmold und Schaumburg-Lippe, 1806-1871, 1960, CaC, 87 pp. Ills.

Vol. 8: Hannover und Braunschweig nach 1813. 1964. CaC. 104 pp. lils. Vol. 9: Konigreich Preussen 1797-1813. 1967. Boards. 78 pp. Ills.

Vol. 10: Konigreich Sachsen 1806-1872 und Herzogtum Warschau 1810-1815. 1969. Boards. 88 pp. Ills.

Each of these go into much greater detail than Krause, with superior halftones on coated stock. Important.

340. Judd, J. Hewitt (with Walter Breen and Abe Kosoff). UNITED STATES PATTERN, EXPERIMENTAL AND TRIAL PIECES. 1974, 5th ed., 8vo, cloth, gilt. 260 pp. 111s. Nearly VF. (25.00)

The de-facto standard reference in a particularly good edition, covering 1800+ patterns, profusely illustrated, rarity scale, extensively annotated, an A-W conversion scale. ALSO Edgar H. Adams and William Woodin, UNITED STATES PATTERN, TRIAL, AND EXPERIMENTAL PIECES, 1959 reprint of the 1913 original. Still most important as referral source from pre-Judd works. Also, historic as it was the the first reference publication produced by the ANS.

341. Keller, Arnold. PAPER MONEY OF THE 20th CENTURY. Volumes One & Two. 1973-74. 4to. In heavy plastic binders as as issued by the International Bank Note Society. Profusely illustrated. VF. (25.00)

Limited numbered editions, originally intended to be multi-volumes. Volume I, edited by C.C. Low, covers from 1900 in detail Straits Settlements, Sarawak, British North Borneo, Malaya (British and occupied), Singapore, and Brunel. Volume 2 extensively covers Belgium (and emergency Issues), Belgian Congo, Burundi, Katanga, Zalre. Much useful text, Indexing, and notes.

342. Krause, Chester and Robert F. Lemke. STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES PAPER MONEY. 1981, 1st ed. 4to, heavy CaC. 204 pp. 111s. Vals. Near Mint. (12.00)

'The most comprehensive reference catalog ever issued devoted exclusively to the currency issues of the United States'. A 'telephone book' treatment: Includes large & small bills, nationals, fractionals, encased postage. Also a 'Rosetta Stone' conversion chart for Friedberg, Donion, Hessier, and Krause numbers.

343. Krause, Delbert Ray. SWISS SHOOTING TALERS AND MEDALS. 1965. 12mo, green cloth. 160 pp. 111s. VF. (15.00)

Illustrates 383 medals (obverse & reverse), giving the engraver, diameter, the metal, and mintages when available. Organized alphabetically by canton, listing Shooting Talers, so-called talers, and medals. Although not so comprehesive as the superb (rarely available) Jean Martin reference, this is more than adequate.

344. Lepczyk, Joseph. THE GEORGE SOBIN COLLECTION OF FRENCH ECUS. March 7-8, 1977. 8vo, blue cloth. 213 pp. 1336 lots. Prl. bound in. 111s. Mint. (50.00)

The scarce post-sale deluxe edition. Sobin's reference collection covering 1641 to 1794, the result of 30 years of collecting and research. "...the largest selection of ecus ever offered at auction." Most lots have both sides illustrated. The thorough, expert cataloguing has made this the reference for the series. Lepczyk's Magnum Opus. Incomparable.

345. Mc Laughlin & Robinson Coins Inc. A Konvolut of 32 Public Auction and Mail Bid Sales. From April 30, 1984 to December 10, 1985. 12mo, CaC. Generally VF. (25.00)

Consists of sales 4021-23, 26, 28-34, 36-37, 48-49, 56-58, 61-62, 68-74, 76-80. Pris. of the previous sale are printed in each until sale 4076. These quick, computer generated sales contain U.S. and world coins and currency without text or illustrations. Each sale averages 1500 lots.

346. Newcomb, Howard R. UNITED STATES COPPER CENTS 1816-1857. 1985 Quarterman reprint of the 1944 original. 4to, gray cloth. 284 pp. 11 plates. Mint. (35.00)

Includes John D. Wright's important 1985 data on new varieties, with an updated rarity guide. Now scarce, as they have been absorbed (veritably soaked up) by collectors.

347. Overton, Al C. EARLY HALF DOLLAR VARIETIES 1794-1836. 1967, first edition. 8vo, maroon cloth. 349 pp. 111s. Rarity guide. Fine. (40.00)

The first edition evidently contains some information not available in subsequent editions. In incredible demand. A nice copy.

- 348. Overton, Al C. EARLY HALF DOLLAR VARIETIES 1794-1836. 1970, revised edition, fifth printing. 8vo, green cloth, dj. 274 pp. 111s. Rarity guide. Mint. (35.00)

  The most recent edition.
- 349. Pick, Albert. CATALOGUE OF EUROPEAN PAPER MONEY SINCE 1900. 1971, 1974, the first two editions. 8vo, pictorial cloth. Ills. Vals. Nearly VF. (18.00)

Arrangement is geographical by country, includes Pick's rarity scale. Profusely lilustrated, listing over 5000 items.

350. Pick, Albert. STANDARD CATALOGUE OF WORLD PAPER MONEY (From 1850). 1975, 1977, The first two editions. Tall 4to, pictorial CaC. Slight fading, else nearly VF and VF. (20.00)

The Krause "telephone book" for paper money issues, supplanting the prevously listed Picks: 704 pp, 23,000 notes by date, 5000 illustrations, 271 countries. Covers Austria from 1759, Belgium from 1826, China, France from 1701, Mexico, even U.S. of A. Excellent charts and bibliography.

351. Remick, Jerome et al. THE GUIDEBOOK AND CATALOGUE OF BRITISH COMMONWEALTH COINS 1649-1971. 1971, 3rd ed. 8vo, boards. 568 pp. 111s. Vals. Covers slightly rubbed, Fine. (20,00)

Our choice as the best single resource for British Commonwealth coinage. A comprehensive mini-encyclopedia invaluable for British, Anglo-Hanoverian coinage, India native states, Malaysian peninsula, and Oceania. Valuable text. A superlative reference work.

352. Sadow, Joseph. THE COINS & MEDALS OF THE VATICAN. 1977. 8vo, green cloth, gilt. 123 pp. 111s. Vals. Near Mint. (15.00)

Still the most comprehensive reference of Vatican numismatics since 1929 (a personal favorite of Dave Cannon). Not only does this list all the "Telephone Book" information, but also it includes 52 official papal medals issued since 1929, with mintages and valuations in various metals. Includes the Lateran treaty and a chronological list of all pontiffs from St. Peter to Paul VI. Useful.

353. Schon, Gerhard. DEUTSCHER MUNZKATALOG. 18. Jahrhundert. 1984. 4to, Cac. 841 pp. 111s. Vals. Near Mint. (25.00)

This catalogue of 17th century German States (also Swiss cantonal, Austrian, and Hungarian) coinage is the best available reference. Although written in German, its Krause "Telephone Book" organization makes using it easy. Indispensable.

354. Schulman, Hans M.F. IMPORTANT CATALOGUE No. 25 ... Foreign and U.S. Coins at Listed Prices. 1944. 8vo, green CaC. 117 pp. 3107 lots. Ills. Front cover once folded, Fine. (20.00)

Important for The Famous Dr. Courteau Collection of Canadian Rarities. 'This is the most important Canadian Collection recently offered' including 290 attributed Breton tokens including the 1670 15 sols, Courteau's Franco-American Jetons, numerous

'bridge' tokens, and 119 medals. Valuable.

355. Schulman, Hans M.F. 75TH ANNIVERSARY SALE. March 18-19, 1955. 137 pp. 2487 lots. 28 pls. Some cover soiling, generally Fine. (35.00)

Contains The Spiro Collection of New Jersey coins, 'the finest and most complete collection ever owned by one collector.' Contains 200 attributed New Jersey cents, with 4 of the plates devoted to them. An eagerly sought, important sale.

- 356. Schulman Coin & Mint, Inc. The ADMIRAL VERNON [Dr. Jorge N. Ferrari] Collection et al. March 27-28, 1972. 12mo, CaC. 80 pp. 1570 lots. 23 pls. Covers soiled at backstrip, else VF. (.00)
  - 68 attributed Admiral Vernon medals with good text. Also good Germanic, British, Belgian, and 18th & 19th century Russian.
- 357. Smith, Howard S. (Chicago). [53 consecutive] Auction Sale of Rare United States and Foreign Coins. From No. 145 (May 22, 1976) to No. 197 (December 3, 1983). Thin 8vo, CaC. Each averaging 28 pages and 1500 lots. Generally VF. (30.00)

No attributions or text. An occasional marginal pencified check mark. Relatively pedestrian offerings (is it legal to offer your relatives just because they can't drive?), strongest from Barber series forward. However, for the collector of catalogues, many of these are unlisted in Gengerke.

358. Sten, George J. BANKNOTES OF THE WORLD 1368-1966 (Aden-Kuwait). Two volumes in one. 1967. Tall 4to, CaC. 328 pp. Profusely Illustrated. Vals. Nearly VF. (15.00)

Most valuable for the sections on Chinese (77 pages), Japan, and Korea. Also 2 really useful sections explaining how to read, date, and identify Chinese and Japanese notes, respectively.

359. Sten, George. ANOTHER AS ABOVE, BUT ALSO, (15.00)

The 1967 edition has a bent corner, else it is VF. ALSO included is the different 1967 edition with the two volumes (covers rubbed, contents VF) issued separately: Aden-China, Colombia-Kuwait.

360. Stewart, Frank H. FIRST UNITED STATES MINT. Its People and Its Operations. 1924. Privately Printed. 8vo, maroon cloth, gilt. 209 pp. Color frontis of George Washington. Ills. The covers VG, the contents Fine. (75.00)

The scarce original edition: C-8, 'Rare since most of first edition destroyed in fire'. Mr. Kolbe, 'An important contribution to our knowledge of early mint operations and activities.' Some foxing on frontis and free-endpaper. The gift is bright and the covers, although showing some wear at the extremities, are pleasing. A decent copy of a rarely available original copy.

361. Taylor H.C. and Somer James. A GUIDE BOOK OF CANADIAN COINS, CURRENCY & TOKENS. The first 10 editions complete: 1958-1968. 12mo, glossy CaC. Fine & better. (60.00)

These Canadian "Redbooks" were the standard guide in Canada, being much more comprehensive than the Charitons. This continued even when the Chariton series was published by Whitman in the U.S during the '60s. These <u>are</u> of special value for the extensively illustrated coverage given the token series; for example, the important, especially durable third edition, spiral bound with wire, devotes over 100 pages to the series. The first edition has one bent corner. Generally, the only apparent wear is that traditionally found on glossy covers. Each is clean and sound.

362. Walker, John, E.S.G. Robinson, and C.H.V. Sutherland (eds.). NUMISMATIC CHRONICLE And Journal of the Royal Numismatic Society, 1962. 1963. 8vo, red cloth. 455 pp. 21 fine pls. Fine. (30.00)

Important monographs: 'The Sliver Coinage of Edward III', 'Sliver and Gold Coins of Bruttlum', 'The Early Coinages of Athens and Eubola' and 27 others by notables Dolley, Balog, Kraay, Morkholm, Sellwood, and Thompson. Also Grierson's marvelous address to the RNS, 'Numismatics and the Historian'. 'Numismatics is both an independent discipline and ... one of the most important auxiliary sciences of history.'

363. Wismer, D.C. DESCRIPTIVE LIST OF OLD PAPER MONEY ISSUED IN OHIO. (A List of the Early Notes in Circulation Prior to 1866). Undated Federal Brands reprint of the 1932 original. 50 pages on rectos. 8vo, green cloth, gilt. 111s. VF. (15.00)

The Federal Brands reprints were low quality photocopies. Although the illustrations of the notes are weak, the text is fine. Lists and describes 529 notes, organized by city, with an index organized alphabetically by bank. The foreword is a succinct history of Ohio banking for the period. Useful.

364. Wright, Dr. B.P. THE MARK PENNY. Masonic Pieces. 1963 Olympic Press reprint of the original from The Numismatist. 8vo, CaC. 89 pp. 111s. 2 pls. VF. (10.00)

Describes 320 of the fascinating Masonic 'pennies'. Also mules and medalets.

365. Zambauer, Eduard von. DIE MUNZPRAGUNGEN DES ISLAMS, ZEITLICH UND ORTLICH GEORDNET.

1. BAND: Der Westen und Osten bis zum Indus mit Synoptischen Tabellen. Herausgegeben von Peter Jackel. 1968. Tatt 4to, maroon ctoth, gilt. 286 pp. Frontis. 26 folding charts. Covers Fine,

contents VF. (50.00)

"Islamic Colnage", printed in German, should be no barrier to any collector of Islamic coins, important,

366. A Konvolut of 40 Different ANA reprints from <u>The Numismatist</u>. 8vo, CaC. Fine & better. (25.00) Includes 4 by Curto about Indian, trader and Sutler frontier tokens; 8 by Eklund about European copper coinage (but not the good one about German); 3 by Hoober about Colonial financial history; Bradfield on Teddy Roosevelt and numismatics; Bowman on decimal Canadian and Newfy; Lhotka on medieval Feudal French; Nelson on coinage of William Wood; Ramsden on modern Chinese copper. A whole lot of konvoluted numismatic information.

Included in the following are many infrequently offered, important periodicals.

367. Almanzar's. 28 FIXED PRICED LISTS. From December 1965 (Vol. 5, no.9) to June 1, 1979 (Vol. 19, no. 3). 12mo. CaC. Holed for binder. Averaging 750+ lots per issue. Fine & better. (25.00)

These glossy, mostly plated FPLs are an exceptional storehouse of information about Latin American coinage, especially the 8 reales, and Pillar and Portrait issues. The 16 issues from 1975 on are especially noteworthy.

368. American Numismatic Society. NUMISMATIC LITERATURE. 45 consective issues from No. 58 (January 1962) to No. 102 (September 1979). 8vo. wraps (through \*76), CaC (from \* 78). Fine (early issues) to near Mint. (100.00)

Since 1947, the ANS has produced an annotated bibliography (abstract) of numismatic literature recently issued throughout the world. They replaced von Bahrfeldt's NUMISMATISCHES LITERATURE-BLATT issued from 1880-1939. Each issue's abstracts are divided by areas of interest: Greek, Roman, Byzantine, Middle East, Far East, The Americas, Europe, Tokens, Paper Money, etc. A vastly underappreciated, comprehensive bibliographic reference. Such an extensive run is infrequently available.

369. American Numismatic Society. PROCEEDINGS (ANNUAL REPORTS) OF THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY. 13 issues from 1954 to 1981. 8vo, CaC. Averaging better than Fine. (15.00)

Issues: 1954-1955, 1961, 1965, 1967, 1972-1979, 1981. These annuals contain reports from each of the ANS committees; of special importance are the annual accessions, which are well annotated and plated.

370. ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW OF THE MISSISSIPPI BASIN. Summer 1930, Volume 1, No. 1. 4to, heavy CaC. 76 pages, nearly all illustrations. VF. (25.00)

This issue of the quality quarterly pictorial is devoted to the, then, recent works of Walker & Week Architects of Cleveland. 7 pages of pictures of the Cleveland Federal Reserve Bank, Interior and exterior. Pictorial coverage of 11 other area banks. Also pictured, Cleveland's Municipal Stadium (then new, now one of the oldest stadiums still in use) and other area architectural landmarks.

371. BOLETIN. [The Quarterly Publication of the Sociedad Numismatica de Mexico, A.C.]. 13 issues from 7-9/76 to 10-12/81. 12mo, glossy CaC. 36 pp. (avg). 11ls. Fine. (30.00)

Each column is printed alternately in Mexican and English. A significant, but infrequently offered, journal. Articles: 16 varieties of the 1968 Olympic 25 peso (for you astigmatics), a 50 page illustrated monograph on the people depicted on Mexican currency from the beginning (issue 100), a detailed market study of the offerings of "cap and ray" 8 reales, Mexican proclamation medals, the peso as an international coin.

372. Canadian Numismatic Association. THE CANADIAN NUMISMATIC JOURNAL. 1961, Volume 6 complete. 12mo, CaC. Fine. (15.00)

Highlights: Bowman's important series on tokens, January issue is the CNA library list, Willey's important series on maritime coinage.

373. Canadian Numismatic Association. THE CANADIAN NUMISMATIC JOURNAL. 1967, Volume 12, complete. 12mo, CaC. Fine. (15.00)

Highlights: Canadian mints and mintmarks, Manitoba trade tokens, centennial numismatics, the 'Bluenose'.

374. Canadian Numismatic Association. THE CANADIAN NUMISMATIC JOURNAL. 1969, Volume 14. complete. 12mo, CaC. Fine. (15.00)

Highlights: Remick on Seychelles, Hudson Bay tokens, Willey's history of Canadian numismatics, varieties of 1858 5c, Canada's 10 rarest coins, Anticosti token, numismatics of French regime. An important volume.

375. Canadian Numismatic Association. THE CANADIAN NUMISMATIC JOURNAL. 1971, Volume 16. 12mo, CaC. Fine. (15.00)

Highlights: slogans on colonial tokens, Canadian numismatic dictionary, St. Helena, overstruck colonial colnage.

376. Canadian Numismatic Association. THE CANADIAN NUMISMATIC JOURNAL. 1980 and 1981, complete. Volumes 26 & 27, 12mo, CaC. Fine. (25.00)

These are really useful volumes. Highlights: super articles on Canadian coloniais and tokens - 'ships, colonies and commerce', Nova Scotia, Weilingtons, foreign used in Canadia, coronation and jubilee medals, playing card money, New Brunswick, Bouquet Sous, etc. Also 10 equally important issues from 1979 and 1982. Great issues, really neat info.

377. Central Bank of the Philippines. BARRILLA. The Central Bank Money Museum Quarterly. 20 issues from July 1974 (Vol. 1, No. 1) to January 1981 (Vol. VIII, No. 1). 12mo, pictorial CaC. 48 pp. (avg). IIIs. Essentially VF. (35.00)

A high quality English language production. Volumes 4-6 are complete. Monthly features on paper money, ancients, world colnage, Philippine colnage for beginners, counterfeits. Major articles: 'The Barrilla', 'Isabel II and Philippine Numismatics', 'Mexican Colnage in the Philippines', 'Die Varieties of the 1732 Plilar Dollar', 'Cullon Leper Colony Colnage', 'The Spanish Mint in Manilla', 'Error Colnage', 'History of the Philippine Numismatic and Antiquarian Society' (There's even a reprinted column from the ubliquitous QDB). A most useful, rarely offered reference for collectors of Philippine and Spanish.

378. THE CHECK LIST. The Journal of Banking and Financial History. Published quarterly by Check Collectors Round Table. 9 issues from Volume VII, No. 1 (January 1976) to Volume 15, No. 2 (Spring/Summer 1984). 4to, wraps. Fine & better. (15.00)

Also called, "The Voice of the Fiscal Document Field". Issues #25-26, 28-29/30, 32, 37, 39, 52-53. Includes articles on stock certificates, checks, bank histories (Missouri, New York, Colorado, the Yukon), Ploneer California banking. Also ads and an auction in each issue. Neat stuff.

379. Coin & Antiquities Ltd. and D.J. Crowther Ltd. (London) COINS OF THE WORLD. NUMISMATIC PUBLICATIONS. 29 issues from Summer 1966 to Number 1, 1972. 12mo. Wraps. Fine. (15.00)

The Summer 1966 list was their first. These FPLs featured ancients, British hammered & milled, and world coinage. Also offered antiquities, newly released books. Most issues average 24 pages and 4 plates. Each contains a one page numismatic article: the Aberystwyth mint, the Sassanian empire, the wrestlers of Aspendus, 19th century counterfeiting. These lists are definitely worthwhile.

380. Credit Suisse (Zurich). MONETARIUM. 22 of 23 FPLs from Autumn 1974 (no. 20) to Spring 1982 (no. 37). 12mo, glossy CaC. 100 (avg) pp. 15 (avg) pls. Averaging VF. (40.00)

A high quality listing of coinage from their numismatic division. In Switzerland and Germany, major banks have distinguished numismatic divisions (in the U.S. our major banks have distinguished loan departments headed by yupple MBAs named Brad who make unsecured, unrecoverable billion dollar loans to despised, deposed despots). Anyway these easily usable, important German language lists offer thoroughly attributed quality ancients, medievals, and Swiss and Cantonal colnage. An impressive 8 year run.

381. First Coinvestors, Inc. RARE COIN ADVISORY. May 1975 (Vol. 1X, No. 5) to November 1977 (Vol. 10, No. 10). 31 of 32 consecutive issues. 4to, wraps. Averaging 32 pages holed for binder. (35.00)

Although primarily an FPL, of major importance for the writings of Walter Breen on just about everything (colonials and lecture on "Coins in History") - especially striking characteristics of colonials, Don Taxay on colonials and unofficial coinage, Jack Collins (who remains unmentioned) on "History and Variety of U.S. Large Cents from 1793-1808" (which remains largely unknown). FCI was Pine Tree Auctions (1975 EAC sale of Connecticut Coppers). Although the copies tend to have solled covers, they are otherwise sound. Important.

382. Florida United Numismatists, Inc. FUN-TOPICS. 17 issues from October 1980 (Vol. XXV, No. 2) to Fall 1984 (Vol. XXIX, No. 3). 12mo., Glossy CaC. VF. (25.00)

Each Issue averages 110 pages of, as THE NUMISMATIST mostly advertising AND neat articles: bust dimes, silver dollar recommendations, Higley copper by Ed Rochette, Frank Sedwick on cobs and on numismatic ethics, numismatics of Spanish Gulana, Randy Campbelli extensively on prooflike Morgans, Thomas Palmer on bust halves. A worthy, underappreciated periodical.

383. Glendining & Co (London). A Konvolut of 32 Sales from 1954 to 1967. Each averages 20 pages and 300 lots. Averaging Fine. (50.00).

23 sales from 1954 to 1957. A few of the post 1961 sales are officially priced with buyers' names. While there are no "name" sales per se, this grouping is an exceptional source of information, especially for the English hammered and milled series; many are superbly catalogued and provenanced.

384. Hewitt, Lee. THE NUMISMATIC SCRAPBOOK. 3 hardbound volumes. 1948-1950. 12mo. Cloth. Insignificant rubbing, essentially Fine. (50.00)

1948-49 brown cloth (ex-Col. James Curtis, ANA life member 220), 1950 red cloth. The contents are sound and clean, BUT (good news or bad news depending on your point of view) the ads from the middle pages of each issue have been removed from most of the issues. BUT all the articles, the features, and the covers remain. Key articles: overdated large cents, Curtis's series on patterns and their prices, New Jersey colonial currency and copper, die varieties of three cent pieces, 1896 experimental colnage, Davenport on German Talers 1700-1800.

385. Hewitt, Lee. THE NUMISMATIC SCRAPBOOK. 5 hardbound volumes. 1954-1958. 12mo. Matching red cloth, gilt. Weak bindings, VG. (50.00)

Contents clean. As above, most issues have the ads from the middle pages removed. Highlights: Curtis' series on Tetradrachms of Roman Egypt, British tokens from 1785-1797, numismatic history of New England, the Fulds' important subject index to Adams photos in Hetrich-Guttag, also important monograph on Talbot Allum & Lee cents, also on "Wealth of the South mullings", Breen on overdates, Stabaugh's series on Mexican revolutionary paper money, Ray Byrne on rarities, Canadian tokens,

386. The International Israel Numismatic Society, Inc., JOURNAL OF ISRAEL NUMISMATICS. Volumes 1 & 2 complete in 11 issues. Feb./March 1966 to October 1968. 12mo. CaC. 374 total pp. Fine & better. (25.00)

Edited by Fred Bertram, this glossy paper journal predates THE SHEKEL. Contents include "city coins" of ancient israel, the Palestine Currency Board (10 installments), and israel paper money. Regular features on rarities and scarcities, and tokens and medals. Useful for collectors of ancients. Also includes the first 2 issues of volume 3. Elusive.

387. Kleeb, Alvin A. and Walker Carlton (eds.) SAN. Journal of the Society for Ancient Numismatics. 4to, CaC. 37 issues from Volume III, No. 1 (1971) to Volume XVI, No. 1 (Spring 1985). (35.00)

1977-79 & 1983 complete. The cover of each issue is illustrated with an enlarged ancient. Each glossy, profusely-lilustrated issue, averaging 18 pages, contains important (four, on the average) well-documented articles about all aspects of ancients and early hammered. OF NOTE: In Vol. 16, No. 3, Wayne Sayles, of The Cetator wrote 'The History of Ancient Coin Collecting: A Brief Survey', an absolutely superb overview. The Volume 15, No 4 issue contains a 15 year cumulative index for <u>SAN</u>. But for a few with dusty covers and rusty staples, generally Fine & better.

388. Krause, Chester (Iola, WI). THE COIN DEALER. 17 of 20 issues from September 1963 (Vol. 1, no. 2) to April 1965 (Vol. 3, no. 4). 4to., wraps. Soiled covers, Fine. (25.00)

Created by Krause as a separate dealer-to-dealer adjunct concurrent with NUMISMATIC NEWS. "News and advertising for dealers only", was mostly advertising, but each issue contained fascinating monthly features: "coin dealers and the law", news about coin shops - the September 1963 issue featured "Empire Coin Company (Bowers & Ruddy) - portrait of a coin dealer". Missing only 1964 issues 4,5, and 10 (and of course August 1963). This lot also contains 4 duplicate issues. A scarce run (the same phrase applies to the Cleveland Indians' offense).

389. Link House (Croydon, England). COINS AND MEDALS. 1968 to 1970, complete in 36 issues. 12mo, glossy pictorial CaC. 111s. Nearly VF (avg.) (35.00)

Howard Linecar was the Associate Editor for this glossy monthly major British periodical, averaging 800 pages annually (how about that for a jam-packed sentencel). Renamed COINS in 1970, it was a combination of articles, display ads, news, and British price trends. The articles dealt with British hammered, British colonials, tokens, issues of the various rulers, auction summaries, and medals; there are also articles on Canadian and U.S. numismatics. A quality publication.

390. MONEY TREND. 45 issues from 9/80 to 1/86. Fine & better. (50.00)

If you can translate Money Trend's subtitle (use your 'Hogan's Heroes' lexicon) - 'Internationales Munzenmagazin mit paper-money-report, Munzenmarkt und Munzenkatalog' - then you will have no trouble using this large format German-language monthly (actually 11 per year). The authority for pricing post-1871 German states and modern German coinage also provides for Swiss, modern Austrian, and Liechtenstein (from where it is mailed). The useful articles may require a bit of effort to understand, but the profuse illustrations help. Of great importance are the ads from the European numismatic and auction firms; for the neophyte their FPLs and action catalogues are your access to the rest of the world. This long a run is most useful, just ask Dave Cannon.

391. THE M.A.N.A. JOURNAL. 22 different issues from July 1957 (Vol. 1, no. 1) to 1979, 4th issue. Averaging VF. (15.00)

'Quarterly Publication of the Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association'. The first two Issues contain a column by Walter Breen. Later Issues - super article on Charlotte mint 10-12/62, Flying Eagle cents, photographing currency. A neat journal.

392. Morland Lee, Ltd. (London). COINS MEDALS & CURRENCY DIGEST AND MONTHLY CATALOGUE. The first 11 issues from August 1969 to September 1970. 12mo, glossy pictorial CaC. IIIs. Averaging 124 pp. per issue. Fine & better. (25.00)

"Europe's first full colour coin magazine" was produced by the editors of CM&C Weekly, the British Coin World equivalent. An expensively produced journal profusely and stunningly illustrated in colour. Wonderful, wide-ranging articles: the Spink story, Jacob Perkins (for U.S. buffs), Irish, Scottish, British hammered, military medals, Masachusetts silver, ancients. Also each issue featured a 40 page price 'trends' for British coinage after 1839. An expensively produced impressive publication.

393. MUNZEN REVUE. 10 issues from January 1976 to January 1977. Fine & better. (15.00)

A LIFE-sized German-language, illustrated numismatic monthly averaging 64 pages per issue with feature articles, auction summaries, and trends for post-1871 Germany, Swiss, and modern Austria (Myron bet me that I couldn't just write a one sentence annotation). Useful.

394. THE N.A.S.C. QUARTERLY. Official Publication of the Numismatic Association of Southern California. 17 issues from 3rd quarter 1965 to Fall 1983. 12mo. CaC. Averaging 32 pages. Ills. But for extensive textual underlining and name on covers, Fine & better. (10.00)

Articles: mint forgeries, coins of colonies & silver dollars, Queen Anne farthings, Sycee silver, Coinage of Slovakia 1939-1945 by David T. Alexander (what ever happened to him, anyway?), Sol Taylor on \$10.00s, the romance of the large cent (11 pages,

EAC'ers), first American mint.

395. Numismatics International. NI BULLETIN. 56 issues mostly from January 1980 (Vol. 14) to August 1984 (Vol. 18). 12mo., CaC. VF. (40.00)

Each issue contains wide-ranging monographs; many on medievals, islamic, Middle Eastern, early Germanic and English, and primitive money. Breakdown: 1980 (8 issues), 1981 (12 complete), 1982 (12 complete), 1983 (9), 1984 (8), also 7 other earlier issues. Useful.

396. Numismatic Publishing Company (Brentwood, England). COIN MONTHLY. Britain's Best Selling Monthly Coin Magazine. 48 issues from February 1974 to December 1978. 12mo., CaC. Averaging 124 pp. 111s. Fine & better. (45.00)

Features articles, ads, and post-Victoria trends. Articles run the gamut of numismatics with an obvious emphasis on British coinage from all eras. BUT, for you EAC'ers and Bust Half Nuts, there are features on die varieties of Elizabeth if halfpennies (with Reliver-like guidelines) and pennies from 1895. Imagine, a whole new field for the clinical myopic. Also, 4 other issues.

397. Seaby. SEABY'S COIN AND MEDAL BULLETIN. 1950. 8vo, original red cloth. 602 pp. Covers slightly faded and soiled, Fine. (15.00)

Stamped "Empire Coin Co. Inc. Research Library" (that's B & R, gang). In the text portion, articles on medieval ships on coins, Askew on the coinage of Roman Britain, Bactrian and Indo-Greek coins, Seaby on English coinage from Henry VII to Anne.

398. THE SHEKEL. The Journal of the American Israel Numismatic Association. 71 of the first 72 issues (Summer 1968 to July/Aug 1982). 12mo. Glossy, CaC. Averaging VF. (100.00)

Naturally the missing one is Volume 1, Number 1. Each issue averages 32 pages with illustrations. Many of the articles are important to the collector of ancients, in addition to modern Israeli. Authors include Hendin, Gould, Haffner, Bertram, Rochette, D. Alexander. Also covered extensively: medals, tokens, currency, and Palestinian. Scarce this complete.

399. Society of Paper Money Collectors. PAPER MONEY. Devoted to the Study of Currency. 40 assorted issues from No 38 (1971) to #114 (1984). 4to. CaC. Fine & better. (50.00)

Nos. 38-46, 48-50, 52-54, 58-64/65, 67, 69-71, 85-90, 96-98, 103-105, 113-114. These glossy, high quality, profusely-illustrated issues are mandatory for currency collectors. The well-written articles deal with important topics. Infrequently offered in any length. Good stuff.

400. Sotheby & Co. A Konvolut of 13 Sales from 1962 to 1967. Each averages 40 pages and 300 lots. Averaging Fine (25.00)

Sotheby sales do not appear on the secondary market frequently. In addition to English hammered and milled, these offer ancients, medievals, antiquities, and medals. Useful.

401. THE SOUVENIR CARD JOURNAL. The Official Organ of the Souvenir Card Collectors Society. 11 issues from Spring 1981 (The Inaugural Issue) to Spring 1986 (Vol. 6, No. 1). 4to. CaC. Fine & better. (30.00)

Each profusely Illustrated, Information-packed Issue has a mall auction, regular feature columns, and neat feature articles: Printers' Union cards, political cards, errors, private souvenir cards, the SCCS numbering system, and new Issues. Breakdown: 1981 (1), 1983 (1,2,4); 1984 (4 complete); 1985 (2,3); 1986 (1). Infrequently available, especially with the Inaugural Issue. Neat stuff.

402. Superior Stamp & Coin Co. MONEY TALKS. The Latest News on Money & Medals. 69 issues from Volume I, No. 1 (Winter 1969-1970) to June/July 1981. Fine or better. (75.00)

Includes 55 of the the first 62 issues, missing May to October 1970, and July of 1971. For you recordkeepers, Volume 5 (1974) was re-numbered Volume 4 with the March 1974 issue, continuing unaltered since. Includes 14 consecutive issues from January 1979 to March 1981. The early issues feature large and fractional currency (from the Philipott Collection). Also offered are medals, foreign, antiquities, and mostly stamps. The early issues are infrequently offered.

403. Swiss Bank Corporation. PREISLISTE FUR GOLD UND SILBERMUNZEN. 14 of 15 FPLs from January 1976 to Fruhling 1981 (no. 45). 12mo, glossy CaC. 85 (avg) pp. 1300+ lots. Profusely Illustrated. VF. (25.00)

Featuring Important European medieval to modern gold colnage. The silver tends to be medieval to 18th century European, Swiss and Cantonal. (Would a Swiss-Chinese restaurant in Ohio be called Canton's Cantonal Cantonese?) Numismatic literature also offered. Also 3 other unnumbered FPLs from December 1974 to September 1975. Another Important run.

404. WESTERN COIN COLLECTOR. The Numismatic Digest. 20 issues from March 1966 (Vol. 1, No. 12) to March 1968 (Vol. 3, no. 12). 4to. Pictorial wraps. Nearly VF. (20.00)

This profusely illustrated monthly is similar to COINAGE: A lead story (generally with a western numismatic flavor), Much ANA news (Isn't the ANA in the <u>west</u>?), feature columns, new issues, ads, club news. Only the name was changed, to NUMISMATIC DIGEST, in January 1968; The June and September issues are included, as an unlisted bonus (Are you impressed?). Scarce.

405. WORLD COINS. Complete in 13 volumes. 147 issues from January 1964 to March 1976. Average better than Fine. (125.00)

Another late lamented periodical. Each Issue featured adifferent them: British Commonwealth, Moslem, Ancients, Gold, Currency, Latin America, Russia, Oriental, Germanic, and others. Not only are the feature articles written by "name" authors, but many of the quality ads are a mine (or if you buy this lot, "a yours") of reference material. As I had previously mentioned with melancholy, this periodical was making a profit and becoming increasingly successful when it was "absorbed" to death. Important.

406. Yeoman, R.S. (ed.). WHITMAN NUMISMATIC JOURNAL. A Monthly Magazine devoted to all phases of Numismatics. Complete (really, no foolin'). January 1964 to December 1968. 60 issues in five volumes. Fine. (75.00)

The contributing authors are a numismatic "Who's Who': Bowers, Breen, Julian, Kenney, Bolender, Newman, Taxay, Glaser, Willey, Yeoman. Covers the infinite variety of numismatics, although North America is emphasized. (This is not the recycled incomplete lot i fouled up in the last sale; this is a brand new opportunity for me to foul up...)

# \*\*\*\*\* AN UNPRECEDENTED OFFERING

407. Superior Galleries. The JACK H. ROBINSON Collection of United States Half Cents and Large Cents. January 29-30, 1989. Mint. (300.00)

THE LIMITED EDITION "SUPER DELUXE" WITH PHOTOGRAPHIC PLATES. This lot is offering something which does not yet exist for an event which has not yet happened. In January, Superior Gaileries will be auctioning Jack Robinson's exceptional collection of large cents and half cents, "the most significant group of copper coins sold at auction since the fabled Robinson S. Brown, Jr. collection." Superior believes that the catalogue will become a "state-of the-art work." Virtually every coin in the auction will be photographed with many of the rarities being goven enlargements. The catalogue "will feature profuse Die State photographs as well as extensive plate enlargements of Die States, lacking in the Robinson S. Brown, Jr. catalogue, and as such, [this] sale will be a fine complement to the Robinson S. Brown, Jr. catalogue". A few newly-available "super deluxe" copies of the Robbie Brown sale were being sold at the ANA convention in July for \$350.00.

As only 200 copies of the "super deluxe" Robbie Brown sale were produced, Superior intends to make only about the same number of this type of catalogue for the Robinson sale. With the already large number of advanced orders, it is entirely probable that the entire run is now or soon will be sold out; at the ANA this summer, the copper guys were already placing their orders. However, Larry Goldberg of Superior has committed to this auction one "super deluxe" edition to be delivered when it is actually produced early

In 1989. So this may be the last opportunity to get a "super-deluxe" copy.

## CONSIGNMENT COLORADO

This is a nice run of Bolender, early Kosoff, and Mehl auction sales in nice condition. They are each small format with card covers (CaC), grading at least Fine, unless noted. Bolender, known as a most conservative grader, sold collections of numerous consignors in a plethora of areas and series. Among the highlights offered here are sales 97 to 101, all five parts of the A.M. Smith collection. Smith wrote the 1884 <u>History of the U.S. Mint</u> and the massive 1886 <u>Encyclopedia of Gold and Silver Coins of the World</u>.

408. Bolender, M.H. 88th AUCTION SALE. February 3, 1934. 86 pp. 1747 lots, Prl. Pages 31-54 unstapled, VG. (20.00)

'A Magnificent and Valuable Collection Formed Over A Period of Forty Years by a Prominent Western Gentleman'. 'the finest [Bechtler gold] collection offered...in many years, and containing the rarest Bechtler's known.' Neat colonials. 67 attributed half cents, 27 pre 1800. Large cents - 'By long odds the best collection we have ever catalogued', 300 attributed lots, 13 1793s, 150 'Sheldon' dates. Most important. Also included is a VG copy of the 89th sale, The HENRY ANSTADT Collection with neat cents and numisiit. NOTE: the last page contains numismatically significant information about amended government rules concerning having to 'surrender' all \$2.50s to the government.

- 409. Bolender, M.H. 90th AUCTION SALE. May 1, 1934. 50 pp. 1270 lots. Fine. (15.00) Foreign, numlsilt, currency shield, 1873 \$3.00. A nice copy.
- 410. Bolender, M.H. 91st AUCTION SALE. June 29, 1934. 42 pp. 1007 lots. VG. (20.00)

150 attributed nice large cents, ancients, bronze historical medals. ALSO 92nd Sale: Excellent, nearly complete gold dollars, super collection of \$3.00s w/1876, 5 Washington Season medals. Nice lot of large cents, 'The following large cents were bid in at my sale of Feb. 3 [88th Sale] by an irresponsible person, one Dr. Tucker of Chicago, and were never taken up. The coins are from the best collection of the year.' Fine.

411. Bolender, M.H. 93rd AUCTION SALE. November 3, 1934. 48 pp. 1079 lots. Nearly VF. (15.00)
H. Listerman collection of attributed half cents and large cents. Also crowns, nice currency, patterns w/ an 1877 half dollar, nice

offering of territorial gold, 1820 Northwest Company token.

- 412. Bolender, M.H. 94th AUCTION SALE. January 5, 1935. 67 pp. 1515 lots. Fine. (15.00) Important Waldo Moore collection of obsolete paper money, 500 lots. Nice foreign medals and coins, early U.S. proof sets. A nice copy.
- 413. Bolender, M.H. 95th AUCTION SALE. February 23, 1935. 56 pp. 1428 lots. Fine. (15.00)
  330 iots of attributed large cents with 24 1794s, good Chinese crowns, nice large currency, Mexican revolutionary. A few pencilled prices in margin.
- 414. Bolender, M.H. 96th AUCTION SALE. April 13, 1935, 45 pp. 1078 lots. Nearly Fine. (25.00)

  Two gem 'proof' cents from French collection, 1811 & 1825, also nice patterns. Nicer than the one from our last sale.
- Part one of the A.M. Smith collection. Smith large cent collection, 149 attributed lots: 7 1793s. Nice patterns and early proof sets. A slew o' proof Trade Dollars; how about one lot of 14 proof 1880s with two other lots of 5 each, a set of 5 papler-mache collections presented to Smith by Emperor Don Pedro of Brazil for illustrations in his book. Quite elusive and important.
- 416. Bolender, M.H. 98th AUCTION SALE. June 29, 1935. 57 pp. 1540 lots. Once folded, thus VG. (15.00)

  Part two of the A.M. Smith collection. impressive currency, California fractional gold, two fair consignments of large cents, nice patterns. 'The Smith collection [not just this sale] contains over 3000 large cents, over two-thousand half cents, over 1000 proof sets.' Still a nice copy. Important.
- 417. Bolender, M.H. 99th AUCTION SALE. October 15, 1935. 50 pp. 1369 lots. Nearly VF. (25.00)

  Part three of the A.M. Smith collection. More nice patterns, early proof sets, and OK large cents. Smith's ancients and medals. 50 nice Breton tokens. Also important.
- Part 4 of the Smith collection. Part 1 of the Wylle collection including 70 lot of encased postage and important fractional currency. Also M.L. Beistle's (author of 1929 The Register of U.S. Half Dollars) collection of 200 proof singles from 1858. For the Bolender catalogue collector, 'My first sale was in 1923, ... about 100 lots, and the catalog a folder of a couple of pages only.' Much nicer than the one in our last sale. Most important.
- Part five of A.M. Smith. 13 unlisted-by-A-&-W patterns which Smith got from the mint sup't. Alex P. Wylle collection of obsolete and Confederate currency. Wylle, who was ANA member no. 89, was the Wylle of the hoard of 19th century numismatic auction catalogues auctioned by the Katens. Important and also infinitely nicer than the one from our last sale.
- 420. Bolender, M.H. 102nd AUCTION SALE. March 14, 1936. 43 pp. 1156 lots. Fine. (15.00)

  Some nice attributed half cents, 115 attributed large cents, and colonials featuring states colnage. Also an 1876 \$3.00. A really nice copy.
- 421. Bolender, M.H. 108th AUCTION SALE: Collections of A.W. REEVES, E.H. SPRINGER, BYRON CARNEY. April 14, 1937, 45 pp. 1110 lots. Nearly VF. (20.00)

in original mailing envelope (No kidding, Gordon). Nice numisit, Goetz medals, 2 'Holey Dollars', nice collection of Breton tokens. A nice, bright copy.

422. Bolender, M.H. 151st AUCTION SALE. March 24, 1943. 66 pp. 1578 lots. Nearly VF (After resubmitting this to the other Money Tree certified catalogue graders, it came back VF). (15.00)

Important early silver coinage, including 1839, and 1850 to 1852 proof dollars. Extensive bust halves with 7 1795 varieties and a VG 1796 161.

423. Bowers, Q. David and James F. Ruddy. UNITED STATES HALF CENTS 1793-1857. New revised complete descriptive guide to die varieties. 1962. 12mo, gold CaC. 47 pages on rectos. IIIs. VF. (25.00) Listed as the DELUXE EDITION, but they all were. Still a neat compact reference, preferable to the reprint. Somewhat scarce.

Following is a nice offering of Thomas Elder sales. One of the legendary numismatic figures, and definitely one of the most outspoken. Elder offered a veritable potpourri in his sales: coins, antiquities, stamps, newspapers, gems, tokens and medals, currency, autographs, and literature. Elder sales give a good overview of American collectors' more catholic (with a small c) tastes in the early twentieth century. According to Gengerke, Elder's 294 sales totalled 422,335 lots. The sales are small format with card covers and are Fine (and so am 1, thank you) unless indicated.

424. Elder, Thomas. THE COMSTOCK-GUNTHER COLLECTIONS. January 25-26, 1935. 88 pp. 1752 lots. VG. (12.00)

Comstock's 'remarkable collection of California gold dollars. The largest in existence...' 228 lots of attributed California gold, some unlisted.

425. Elder, Thomas. The E[DGAR]. H. ADAMS and F.Y. PARKER Collections. April 11-13, 1935. 126 pp. 2560 lots, Prl. VG. (30,00)

Edgar H. Adams (the <u>A</u> of the <u>A-W</u> numbers) patterns, "the largest collection ever offered": 290 lots. Important numismatic literature, Underappreciated, Important, ALSO The J.R. TREADWAY Collection, May 10-11, 1935, 70 pp. 1684 lots, VG.

426. Elder, Thomas. The JOHN K. BORCKY Collection of Rare American Coins ... Including a Very Large and Fine Collection of U.S. Cents with All Dates and Nearly All Varieties.... June 19-21, 1935. 75 pp. 1970 lots. Fine. (35.00)

936 (I) lots of attributed large cents: 27 1793s, 196 (that's no misprint) 1794s one (gosh, only one?) with a starred reverse, "the largest collection possibly in existence" of 96 1796s.... An incredible offering. A most important sale for the large cent collector, specialist, researcher, and/or obsessive. Infrequently offered. A nice copy.

427. Elder, Thomas. W.A. BASSET AND OTHER COLLECTIONS [GEORGE W. RICE]. September 20-21, 1935. 87 pp. 1822 lots. Fine. (25.00)

1792 dated oval Washington Indian medal belonging to Clark of Lewis & Clark. Basset's 755 lots of colonial currency. 30 pieces of pre-1832 U.S. gold. Rarities in all series. 'Coins are not catalogued by aid of a big glass, but by the naked eye as they should be....this is how Mr. H. Chapman...raled all of his. Any defects which do not appear to the eye could not property be counted as defects.' ALSO Elder's WENDELL FOSTER COLLECTION. 6/22/35. 46 pp. 892 lots. Extensive U.S. gold. Two really nice copies.

428. Elder, Thomas. The JOHN G. TOWNSEND Collection. October 25, 1935. 73 pp. 1612 lots. (20.00)

A potpourri. 2 Washington Seasons medals. ALSO a scuzzy VG copy of the important SLOANE, LENZ Sale. 1/22-25/36. 150 pp. 3083 lots. "Remainders ... of Coin Catalogues ... of the Late Mr. H. Chapman", Property of Mrs. H. Chapman: 5 1881 Warls' NJ cents; 21 plated Beckwiths; scads of plated Alvords, Groves, Sargent.

429. Elder, Thomas. The DR. CLIFTON WHEELER, SIGMUND Von LIEVEN, DR. GEORGE ROSS. May 13-15, 1937. 94 pp. 2055 lots. (20.00)

George Ross (articles in THE NUMISMATIST) 362 attributed lots of large cents. Another large cent collection with "the best 1799 and 1804 we have ever offered". 61 attributed super half cents, many provenanced. Proof 1796 15" half. Ross' collections of states colonials and store cards are impressive. An important sale. ALSO The Carter, Dykstra, Street Collections. 6/19-20/36, another potpourd.

430. Elder, Thomas. GENERAL MC C. REEVE. November 5-6, 1937. 78 pp. 1613 lots. The bid sheet removed, essentially Fine. (10.00)

Reeve's large cent collection: includes 41 attributed 1794s. Good Dahlonega gold w/1861. 2 1877 pattern halves. Also offered was an 'original' brick from Nebuchadnezzar's palace (How can you tell, did Nebuch have 'em each 'certified'?). ALSO a marginally dampstained Reynolds, Daniels Sale. 12/10-11/37. 72 pp. 1546 lots. Neat colonials: Lord Baltimore 6d, Chalmers shilling, 2 Higieys, rare NY colonials.

431. Elder, Thomas. The WALTER D. MC CAW, J.G. MARKLEY, NORTON. May 25, 1940. 80 pp. 1700 lots. Nearly VF. (20,00)

Eider's last sale, number 292. 'A Bona-Fide sale. The Lots to Actually Change Hands and Be sold'. 'The Mc Caw collection contains many of the choicest and rarest Roman silver coins [157 lots of imperial and Republic]. The Norton Collection contains a magnificent Token and Medal offering, which cannot be surpassed for rarity and condition'. Scarce.

432. Green, Charles, E. MINT RECORD OF UNITED STATES COINS. (1932). 16mo. Maroon leather, gilt. 86 pp. Nearly VF. (20.00)

This listing of mintages for U.S. coins was one of the forerunners of the Redbook. The leather shows wear, but merely opening this once would have caused this. Really, this is a neat little jewel.

The following grouping of early Abe Kosoff sales are quite scarce and in major demand, not merely for their historical significance. Kosoff's early sales auctioned the vast collection of Julius Guttag. These are each small format with CaC and are VF (except as noted). In our last sale, we offered a group in exceptional condition; these compare quite favorably, including several sales we did not offer, then.

433. Kosoff, Abe. AUCTION SALE No. 2. JULIUS GUTTAG Numismatic Library. August 6, 1940. [24] pp. 859 lots. Rear cover soiled, Fine. (35.00)

575 lots of numismatic literature, a most significant pre-war offering: first 6 volumes of The Numismatist, rarities like deluxe

- 1925 Newcomb, heaps o' plated Chapmans. Like Ragu, "It's in there." Jack Collins, a shell of a bibliophile, calls this sale rare.
- 434. Kosoff, Abe. AUCTION SALE No. 3. October 26, 1940. 24 pp. 796 lots. (50.00)

  Jack Collins called this sale "RARE!". 1911 4 pc gold proof set. Much foreign gold. Numismatic literature. Neat colonials.
- 435. Kosoff, Abe. AUCTION SALE No. 4: The Guttag Latin American Collection, Part One. December 10, 1940. [40] pp. 848 lots. (50.00)

Collins "RAREI". "Magnificent Collection of Russian and Polish Rarities". This is not hyperbole. 135 lots of Russian from Vassilli Ivanowitsch (1505-1533) to Nicholas II (and the last). 36 lots, mostly gold, of Polish from Stephan Bathory (1576-1586). Guttag's early Mexican: 80 lots alone of Charles and Johanna (1536-1555). Most important.

436. Kosoff, Abe. AUCTION SALE Nos. 6 and 7. April 22-23, 1941. [64] pp. 1706 lots. Rust stain on back from paper clip, VF. (40.00)

Extensive obsolete banknotes. Numerous world medals. Guttag III, Guatemala, Chile, Ecuador.

437. Kosoff, Abe [with Hans M.F. Schulman]. AUCTION SALE Nos. 9-10. GUTTAG West Indies Collection, Famous Numismatic Library. August 21-22, 1941. 81 pp. 2303 lots. Better than Fine. (40.00)

(Also listed as Schulman's fourth sale) Neat foreign gold. Impressive numisit, 250 lots, most of the major 19th century U.S. and European rarities.

438. Kosoff, Abe. AUCTION SALE No. 17. 1942 ANA SALE. August 25, 1942. 71 pp. 1190 lots. Better than VF. (30.00)

263 attributed patterns. Nice half cents, large cents, gold, 1802 half dime. A super copy of a scarce ANA sale.

- 439. Kosoff, A. (Numismatic Gallery). AUCTION SALE No. 21. June 5, 1943. 33 pp. 921 lots. VF. (25.00) Nice British from Charles I. Numislit: Crosby, plated Mackenzle. Another super copy.
- 440. Numismatic Gallery (Kosoff and Kreisberg). RARE COINS AT FIXED PRICES. (1946). 12mo, CaC. 57 pp. Fine. (17.00)

Important for T.J. Clarke's colonials, 50 extensively annotated lots of private and territorial gold, 160 lots of important numislit. Not your run of the mill list. ALSO Stack's FPL 34. Fall and Winter 1944. Looks precisely like one of their small format auctions from the 40's, a comprehensive, particularly elusive list. Fine. Two neat lists.

441. Mehl, B. Max. 89TH 'QUALITY' AUCTION SALE: THE MORSE, FAELTON, AND TODD COLLECTIONS. Rare Coins, Rare Medals, and Currency. June 23, 1936. Small format. Orange CaC. 113 pp. 2268 lots. Ills. VF. (35.00)

Excellent Large Cents with 1795 Jefferson head; good colonials; 1876-CC 20c; 150 lots of \$2.50s with 1863 proof; 30 \$5.00s from 1795 to 1818; some important private gold; 15 lots of Scottish. A really nice copy.

442. Mehl, B. Max. NINETIETH QUALITY NUMISMATIC AUCTION SALE: THE GEORGE M. AGURS COLLECTION. Fine Collection of American and Foreign Gold, Silver and Copper Coins and Currency. April 27, 1937. Small format. Blue CaC. 89 pp. 1966 lots. VF. (30.00)

Some important, choice large cents; some numismatic literature; good U.S. gold. Another really nice copy.

443. Mehl, B. Max. NINETY-FIRST QUALITY AUCTION SALE: THE SAMUEL H. MC VITTY COLLECTION. Collection of American and Foreign Coins. March 22, 1938. Small format. Gold CaC. 90 pp. 2300 lots. Ills. VF. (35.00)

61 lots of excellent half cents, w/ gem 1793 G.4; "A Really Fine Collection" of Large Cents, w/ Jefferson head, and 50 quality Sheldon cents; 1879 and 1880 Stellas; good Overton halves; good Bust Dollars.

444. Mehl, B. Max. NINETY-FOURTH MEHL QUALITY SALE: The Extensive WILLIAM B. HALE COLLECTION and Other Fine Properties. November 28, 1939. Small format. Tan CaC. 93 pp. 2256 lots. Prl. IIIs. Fine. (40.00)

"Unusually choice [150 lot] collection of Large Cents", 70 Sheldons including 10 1793s; 70 good half cents with 1831 G.1, (P-10) @ \$175 and an 1849 proof small date, large berries @ \$110; an 1803 VF half dime @ \$420; 11 "Remarkable for Condition" Browning quarters; good Overton halves with 4 1795s and "the best [1796 VF] I have ever offered"; 50 Bolender dollars; 50 lots of good private and territorial gold; Important sale, unusually well-catalogued for Mehl.

445. Mehl, B. Max. NINETY-SIXTH QUALITY SALE. FRED BURTON & G.B. HIGH. October 29, 1940. Small format, CaC. 82 pp. 2112 lots. Ills. VF. (25.00)

Good collection of large cents. 1821 and 1821 \$5.00s. Good foreign. Nice bust dollars. Excellent U.S. gold. The last two

pages promoting the Dunham sale. ALSO A Prospectus of the Celebrated William Foster Dunham Numismatic Collection, in the original envelope. 12mo. Pictorial CaC. 8 pp. Tissue guards. Both in really nice condition.

446. Mehl, B. Max. (Sale 99) COL. J.A. PORTER COLLECTION. June 23, 1942. Small format, CaC. 73 pp. 1841 lots. VF. (25.00)

96 colonials, a large number for Mehi. 93 large cents with the 1803 Large date, Small fraction (Newcomb called if the second finest he had seen.) Good patterns and Hard Times Tokens. Also, Mehi pleading with the ANA to invest its excess funds in War Bonds.

447. Watkins Coin Company (El Paso). OUR FIRST AUCTION SALE CATALOGUE of United States and Foreign Coins ... Including the Finest lot of Spanish American Gold Ever Offered at Auction. June 15, 1940. Small format. CaC. 32 pp. 1107 lots. Fine. (15.00)

Nice Mexican revolutionary, including 'strictly unc' 1916 60 pesos. '... the following Spanish and Spanish American gold is a consignment from a European museum'; 173 lots of 18th century, mostly 8 escudos. 246 lots of U.S. gold. The only catalogue issued by Watkins. Scarce and 'cute'.

448. A Wayte Raymond Konvolut, plus 2. 6 items. Fine & better. (16.00)

CCS-12 The Coins and Tokens of Canada, 1947. Standard Type List of U.S. Coins, 1947. Standard Paper Money Catalogue, Part I - 1950, Colonial and Continental Currency. CCJ-148-149. Proof Coins Struck by U.S. Mint 1817-1921, by Breen. ALSO Treasury Department, 'Know Your Money', June 1943 - really neat. Worthy Coin Corp, FPL May/June 1946.

# CONSIGNMENT NORTH COAST

Many of the periodicals and fixed price lists here are rarely offered at all, rarely offered so complete, or despite their usefulfulness are generally unknown. This area is the most underresearched and underappreciated in numismatic literature although Remy Bourne (who has already published the part one of his tour-de-force), John Adams, and Frank Katen have major reference works in progress. Once their findings are disseminated, FPLs and periodicals will be the focus of the next bibliomaniacs "gold fever".

449. Affleck, Charles J. THE OBSOLETE PAPER MONEY OF VIRGINIA. Volume II: Obsolete Bank Notes 1804-1865. 1969. 4to, maroon cloth, gilt. 265 pp. 20 color plates, color frontis of Affleck. Rarity guide, vals. VF. (25.00)

Copy 409 of 1000 numbered copies. "All known major varieties ... that are available have been illustrated in actual size...." A beautifully presented work, with marvelous color plates. A "key" work in the obsolete currency series. Important

450. American Numismatic Society. MUSEUM NOTES 1945, Volume I. 1946. 16mo. tan CaC. 106 pp. 23 fine pls. Fine. (75.00)

The extremely scarce first edition. Herbert Ives stated the original purposes of MUSEUM NOTES: (1) to publish information too brief for an ANS Monograph, (2) to reveal to the membership the yearly "accretions" to the ANS collection. A really nice copy. The same applies to the next three lots, volumes II-iV.

- 451. American Numismatic Society. MUSEUM NOTES, Volume II. 1947. 16mo, tan CaC. 118 pp. 19 fine pls. Fine. (75.00)
  - Important, In-demand, and scarce. Why so brief? So I can take more space to annotate obscure stuff.
- 452. American Numismatic Society. MUSEUM NOTES, Volume III. 1948. 8vo, blue CaC. 154 pp. 26 fine pls. Top corner of front cover dampstained, still Fine. (+0.00)

  See the comments above.
- 153. American Numismatic Society. MUSEUM NOTES, Volume IV. 1950. 8vo, blue CaC. 130 pp. 24 fine pls. Fine. (40.00)

See the comments above the above.

454. Barton, John. THE OWL (QUARTERLY). 13 glossy FPLs from Fall-Winter 1975 to Fall 1981. 12mo, wraps. 225 lots (avg). 10 pls (avg). VF. (20.00)

John, who recently passed away, was a fine gentleman who produced quality lists with quality offerings of primarily ancients. The lots (nearly all illustrated) are most thoroughly attributed, conservatively graded, and well annotated. 11 consecutive quarierly issues from Volume II, No. 1. Most useful.

455. Barton, John. BUY/BID SALES 1 to 5. Semi-annually from April 9, 1983 to March 23, 1985. VF.

(20.00)

The same format as THE OWL. Each averages 250 lots and 13 plates. Again, completely attributed and well annotated. These are important instructional references. (John was directly responsible for getting this phillistine involved in the pursuit of ancients, helping me to begin my library and my collection.) Each sale is a little jewei. This lot also includes two OWL mall-bid sales from Fall 1979 and March 1982.

456. Barton, John. A NUMISMATIC BESTIARY. Ancient Greek and Roman Coins Bearing Zoological Types. nd. (1982?) 12mo., CaC. 21 pp. 202 lots. 14 pls. Near Mint. (10.00)

An FPL. includes a 2 page article by Dr. John Twente on collecting ancient coins picturing animals. in THE OWL format, an impeccable production in every respect. A significant reference sale.

457. John Barton (Owl Ltd.) and Thomas P. McKenna. THE AURELIA COLLECTION of Roman Republican Silver Coins. nd. (1983) 12mo., CaC. 32 pp. 300 lots. 15 pls. Near Mint. (15.00)

An FPL. in THE OWI. format, a joint production with Tom McKenna, John's part was cataloguing and photography. A Swiss collection 'assembled over the last twenty-five or thirty years.' Nearly every lot is illustrated on both sides. Extensively annotated, a rarity for sales of ancients, and consequently most useful for collectors. Highly recommended.

458. Blunt, C.E., F. Elmore Jones, and Commander R.P.Mack. Collection of Ancient British, Romano-British and English Coins [to 1180] Formed by MRS. EMERY MAY NORWEB, Part I. Sylloge of Coins of the British Isles 16. 1971. 8vo, blue cloth, gilt. 88 pp. 17 fine plates. Corners bumped, else VF. (35.00)

Each of the 421 coins (plated on both sides) has its weight, provenance, and full attribution provided. Mrs. Norweb indicated that her interest in British coinage began in 1953 at the ANA convention when she bought a 'canister' containing 3 pounds (weight, not value) of English hammered coins. This volume of the Sylloge contains silver pennies of exceptional quality and great rarity. Important.

459. Thompson, R.H. The NORWEB Collection: Tokens of the British Isles 1575-1750. Part 1: Bedfordshire to Devon. Sylloge of Coins of the British Isles 31. 1984. xl pp. 35 fine plates. VF. (40.00)

From Mrs. Norweb's Foreword to this work, "The result of Robert Thompson's years of study and hard work ... is likely to remain the most comprehensive standard work on the series, perhaps for ever." Of note is that this particular series was a joint pursuit of both Mrs. and Mr. Norweb (who was born in Nottingham) - he bought the tokens, she catalogued them. The total token collection numbered 13,000. This Sylloge systematically describes, attributes, and provenances 840. Of special note is a superb token bibliography. British token literature is sought as eagerly as that of "coppers" or bust haives.

460. Bowers and Ruddy Galleries, Inc. RARE COIN REVIEW NO. 10. March April 1971. 4to, self-covered. 52 pp. 111s. Nearly VF. (25.00)

Listed as Volume III; Issue No. 10. This is the first Rare Coin Review issued by the firm of <u>Bowers and Ruddy</u>; thus the starting point for assembling a complete set of B & R <u>RCR</u>'s (Did i use enough abbreviations?). The previous numbers were issued by <u>Hathaway and Bowers</u>. Important and scarce.

Numismatists (Beverly Hills). nd. 4to. 70 leaves of printed typescript. Original card covers a trifle soiled. Fine. (35.00)

Scarce. 23 'lessons', the last a 'Final'. 2 lessons on half cents, 3 on large cents. The 'course' goes throught the entire series of U.S colnage, also currency, Canadian, and cleaning. Despite Breen's information being most useful, as always, this 'course' never caught on; no Cliff Notes. Useful and scarce.

462. Breen, Walter. A COINER'S CAVIAR. Walter Breen's Encyclopedia of United States and Colonial Proof Coins 1722-1977. 1977. 4to. Brown cloth, gilt. 324 pp. 111s. Nearly VF. (90.00)

The standard reference. Invaluable. Example: most collectors are aware of the rare 1838-O proof bust half, 20 minted and 11 known. But, a friend of mine owns a rarer 1839-O proof bust half (purchased from a most reputable source). Where does one go for documentation? Breen, page 234.

463. Coin Galleries (Stack's). 16 FIXED PRICE LISTS. 1955-1959. 1955 (no number), 5-9, 12-22 (18/19 combined issue). Conditions from Fine to VF. (30.00)

These lists were the forerunner of the **NUMISMATIC REVIEW** listed below. Each is octavo. The issues up to #14 are FPLs only. These issues are identical in layout and, from #15 onward, in content to the **NUMISMATIC REVIEW**. These are quite eiusive and in demand for the completion of the Coin Galleries series.

Volume 1 Number 1 (January 1960) to Volume XIII Number 2 (1972). Mostly VF, only one below Fine. (125.00)

Including the new series complete in four issues (1977-1979). The missing issue is Volume I Number 2. Each issue averages 50 pages beginning with 8 pages of text; fascinating observations by the editor, James Risk; and scholarly articles about ancient,

medieval, and foreign coins. The balance of each issue is Coin Galleries' (Stack's non-U.S. division) quality illustrated fixed price list. In ever-increasing demand as this is from a major firm, covering a significant length of time. Important,

465. Eastwood, Sidney K. (Pittsburgh). NUMISMA. An occasional Numismatic Pamphlet. C-S 768. Privately printed. (Volume 1, nos. 4-6). 3 consecutive issues 1943-1947. 16mo., wraps 70 pp. (43-112). VG (10.00)

Printed from 1939 to 1948, these 3 particular pamphiets, issued at 10 month intervals, are comprised of 12 monographs on British colonial coins and tokens, British tokens, and satirical tokens of Napoleon III. The covers (with masking tape labels) are faded and foxed; the contents sound. Definitely scarce. Good reading.

466. Empire Coin Company (Bowers and Ruddy in Johnson City, NY). EMPIRE INVESTORS REPORT, Issues 1 & 2. (September) 1963. 4to. Green printed sheets. Each 8 pp. Once folded as mailed. Fine. (20.00)

So scarce that the INVESTORS REPORT is not widely known. Issued every other week for more than 2 years. Looks like the Kiplinger newsletter. Recommendations in 1963: mintmarked 20th century minors in the 'teens and 20's (isn't that a kid who was tattooed in Denver or SanFran?), sell your rolls (get off your buns), 20c pieces, choice patterns (the Butterick boom), type coins from 1796-98. Fascinating.

467. Hess. Dave (Baton Rouge). 17 of 20 Fixed Price Lists of British Hammered and Milled Coinage. (Also 2 other Hess mini-lists) August 1965 - June 1967. 12mo., glossy wraps. 200+ total pp. 3300+ total lots. 39 total plates. Fine. (25.00)

Thoroughly marvelous, incomparable lists. Numismatics at its best. His offerings of hammered pennies, the majority of each list, are thoroughly attributed and offer clear, unaffected information. Obviously produced with the collector in mind, his love for this field permeates each profusely illustrated list. I have not seen any larger offering of the rarely offered Hess lists. I would appreciate receiving any information or recollections anyone could provide about him. Great stuff!

468. Ireland, Peter (Format) Ltd. (Birmingham, England). FORMAT. From "1 to "27, missing only 8 & 9, nd (1978 to 1984). 12mo. Glossy, CaC. VF (avg). (50.00)

A glossy quarterly (except for 3 in 1983 3) FPL featuring quality British and British colonial, although world colinage in all price ranges is included. Each issue averages 2000 lots and 8 plates. The extensive patterns, medals, specimens, and tokens make these most important. Many discovery pieces and much important information is included. For example #14 lists the (42) "rarest British Colonial currency issued coins" with estimated numbers extant and comments, a 1936 official pattern sixpence, and a 1792 Washington "Roman Head" cent (extensively annotated). Neat.

469. Format Coin & Medal Co. Ltd. FORMAT MONTHLY COIN and MEDAL LIST. 6 issues (Vol. 1111, No. 4-10, no \*6) from April to December 1966. 12mo., CaC. 110 total pp. 10ts. 34 total pls. VF. (15.00)

These FORMATS' format (?) Is similar to the current Seaby Bulletin. Useful text articles: an alphabetical listing of French mintmasters from 1789 to 1891, a list of French "Graveurs Generaux" from 1590 to 1879, list of French mints from 1389, notes on George IV colnage, notes on Edward I and II hammered coins. Infrequently offered.

470. Hewitt, Lee. THE NUMISMATIC SCRAPBOOK, 1939. 1939, Complete in 12 issues. 12mo, pebbled red cloth, gilt. 632 pp. Fine. (30.00)

Coffin on Colonial currency, private Colorado gold, Earle Sherwood on Connecticut coppers and NY colonials, an account and group picture of the inaugural meeting of the Central States Convention, Eastwood on Virginia and Maryland colonials, the history of U.S. private gold, Newlin (reprint) on half dimes from 1792 to 1802 (16 provenanced), early Secretaries of the Treasury. An important, quite scarce volume.

471. Joslin. E.C. SPINK'S CATALOGUE OF BRITISH AND ASSOCIATED ORDERS, DECORATIONS AND MEDALS with Valuations. 1983. 4to, blue cloth, dj. 191 pp. Profusely illustrated, many in colour. Vals. Mint. (25.00)

Quoting from the dust jacket (just like a high school book report), "A comprehensive and authoritative guide to British - and associated - Orders, Decorations, and Medals, giving a brief history of each, and including most valuable suggestions to collectors." Joslin "is without doubt the doyen of medal dealers and specialists in the field". [Note: the colour photography is stunning.] 206 medals from the 18th century through the Falkands (Myron, do we get any bids from Argentina?). Magnificent.

- 472. Kosoff, Abe. KOSOFF'S COIN BULLETIN. 5 issues. Fine or better. (10.00) 8/55 (#8), 7/56 (#9), 8/56 (#10), 2/58 (#12), 4/58 (#13). The sequel, in identical format, to the NUMISMATIC GALLERY MONTHLY. FPLs with 'Money Talks: #13 offers about 250 decent different large cent varieties, some provenanced.
- 473. Richard Margolis. COINS & MEDALS OF THE WORLD. 36 consecutive FPLs from No. 24 (Aug.-Sept. 1965) to No. 59 (June-July 1979). 12mo., glossy wraps. 600 lots (avg). 2 plates (avg). Fine and better. (30.00)

A 14 year run of plated lists (which began in this format with #24) from the estimable Mr. Margolis. An incredible storehouse of information: Napoleonic medals, Russian and French coinage, world patterns and essais, British milled coinage and Conder tokens, Latin American, and Oriental. Important.

474. Metropolitan Coin Co. (Paul Weinstein) CHOICE COLONIAL COINS. (1961). 12mo, self-covered. 16 pp. IIIs. One crescent marginal waterstain, not affecting text, else Fine. (20.00)

An FPL of note: the firm was the source of the METROPOLITAN NUMISMATIC JOURNAL edited by Walter Breen and Lyn Glaser. All colonials with much important text: 'one of the two finest' Inimica Tyrannis America, a unique 'bar cent' on an oval planchet, Confederatio with large stars, good states colnage.

475. Newman, Eric. COINAGE FOR COLONIAL VIRGINIA. Numismatic Notes and Monographs, No. 135. 1956. 8vo, tan CaC. 57 pp. 6 gravure plates. VF. (17.00)

C-S 3392°. 'Virginia halfpence have the unique distinction of being the only fully authorized coins with legal tender status specifically minted ... for any part of the English coionies which became the [U.S.A.].' (p. 1). The standard reference.

476. New Netherlands Coin Co. NUMISMA. Complete in 27 issues. Generally Fine or better. (75.00)

From Vol. I; No. 1 In June 1954 to "Whole No. 27", November 1960. This most prestigious house organ features comprehensive coin offerings, extensive text, original research and observations by Ford and Breen. Complete runs are infrequently offered and eagerly sought.

477. Numismatic Gallery (Kosoff and Kreisberg). **NUMISMATIC GALLERY MONTHLY**. 23 issues. Rusty staples, o/w Fine. (50.00)

Volume I (May to December(\*) 1948) complete in 8 issues. Vol. II, Nos. 1\*, 2\*, 4\*, 5\*, 7, 8. Vol. III, Nos. 2, 3, 4, 8. Vol. IV, Nos. 1, 4, 5-6, 7-8, 9-10. These glossy small format house organs averaged 12 pages, most offerings were FPLs though the five starred issues contained mail bid sales. Each back page is 'Money Talks', Kosoff's homey observations of people and issues. A run this lengthy is decidedly unusual.

478. THE NUMISMATIST, [The Bryan Number] July 1926. Volume XXXIX, No. 7. 8vo, red cloth, gilt. Pages 313-416, complete. (20.00)

Farran Zerbe's 70 page monograph 'Bryan Money. Tokens of the Presidential Campaigns of 1896 and 1900 - Comparative and Satirical'. Profusely illustrated, a listing of 141 items. Tipped in is 'Two Unrecorded Bryan Tokens', a 2 plate addendum from the 1957 ANS Museum Notes. Along with the February 1924 'Lincoln' number, the most eagerly sought single 20th century issue. The issue is VG, the later binding is virtually VF.

479. Overton, Al C. EARLY HALF DOLLAR VARIETIES. 1970, revised edition, third printing. 8vo, green cloth, gilt, dj. 274 pp. 111s. Near Mint. (35.00)

A fascinating work, though clearly esoteric and of no real interest. Mr. Overton, though definitely dedicated to this ephemera, has obviously wasted his time. There can be little doubt that the only people who could possibly be interested in bust halves would have to be 'nuts'.

480. Prime, William C. MONEY OF THE BIBLE. (1906) 24mo, CaC. 23 pp. 111s. VF. (15.00)

Produced by The (Thomas) Elder Numismatic Press, this modest monograph consists of (1) Money Before Colnage, (2) Coins and Colnage Before the Christian Era, and (3) New Testament Money. A good survey, quite readable. Neat, especially this choice.

481. Raymond, Wayte, ed. (Scott Stamp and Coin). THE COIN COLLECTOR'S JOURNAL. 47 of 48 issues. From Volume 1 Number 1 (April 1934) to Volume 4 Number 12 (March 1938). Generally Fine. (75.00)

Missing only Volume 1 Number Eleven. Although some of the covers may show some fading, the contents are all sound and clean. Despite being frequently referred to as a highly respected and acctalmed periodical, the contents actually tend to be taken for granted. For example, few know that Clapp's important UNITED STATES CENTS 1804-1814 is actually the first 10 pages of the December 1934 issue. Useful articles by major figures (Didn't he teach math in the Army?), many later reprinted: Macallister on large cents; Edgar Adams on early mint issues, Newell on ancients, Howland Wood, Wismer, Raymond on Latin America and on store cards, an extensively illustrated series on presidential medals.

482. Raymond, Wayte. THE COIN COLLECTOR'S JOURNAL. Volume 10 (1943) and Volume 11 (1944) 10 of 12 issues. 2 covers with pencil notes, otherwise Fine. (25.00)

The war years tend to be scarce. The features are middle eastern coinage, ancient Roman, and the first four chapters of Phares Sigler's vastly underappreciated work on colonials.

483. Raymond, Wayte. THE COIN COLLECTOR'S JOURNAL. Volume 13 (1946) to Volume 17 (1950) complete in 30 issues. Fine or better. (50.00)

Raymond took over as publisher in 1939. The quality continued: John Ford's Important monograph on authenticating colonials, Sigler's Important Illustrated series on colonials, Marckhoff on state banking, Nesmith on Latin-America, Early American medals, Kann on mint of Shanghal, the later reprinted J.P. Morgan collection of Greek. Again, these should not be dust catchers. Don't take them for granted.

484. Vlack, Robert A. A CATALOGUE OF EARLY AMERICAN COINS. 1963, 1st ed. Svo. CaC. 17 pp. Vals. VF. (50.00)

The scarce first edition. Supposedly only 60 copies exist because the rest were destroyed in a fire or in a flooded basement.

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#### 7 NORWEB SALES

Although most collectors are well aware of the Bowers & Merena Norweb sales, there have been 7 other important Norweb sales since 1985 - 3 by Christie's Icatalogued by Spink's) in Dallas and New York, and 4 Spink sales in London. The offerings in these other sales while of (mainly) non-U.S. material are of at least the same quality and importance as those from B & M. The Christie's sales of Spanish American coinage rank with the legendary Fonrobert and Guttag collections. The Spink sales of British coinage rank with the best cabinets of British coinage ever offered. Additionally, these are required for having a truly complete set of the Norweb collection sales.

485. Christie's. 3 Norweb Sales of Canadian, Mexican & Central American, and South American Coins. Large format, Pictorial CaC. Fine & better. (60.00)

Canadian Coins and Banknotes. 4/22-23/85. 92 pp. 971 lots, Pri. 30 pls. Canadian 1911-12 Specimen set, Canadian banknotes, U.S currency, an 1841 \$2.50 (non-Norweb). Mexican and Central American Coins. 5/17-18/85. 188 pp. 850 lots, Pri. 4 color pls. 403 lots of important Mexican colonial, mostly gold, but the 1732 and 1733 pillar coins are amazing - a 1732 4 reales "specimen" brought \$33,000. The Central american series features stunning Guatemala, Cuba, and Haiti. Mexican and South American Coins. 11/7/85. 210 pp. 1020 lots. 4 color pls. (Where do I start?) Super Mexican Republican onward, amazing South American - rarities, Wyon patterns. Try this; Guttag contained 5000 coins, Fonrobert 4900, Norweb II & III offered 4750 (the family has kept the Brazil collection, and had previously donated the Peru coinage to the ANS) and "will stand as a reference in conjunction" with the other 2 classics. Important, required, and a whole lot o' fun to look at.

486. Spink Coin Auctions. THE NORWEB COLLECTION OF ENGLISH COINS, Parts 1-4. From June 13, 1985 to June 17, 1987. Large format. glossy CaC. 1921 total lots. 11 colour plates. But for slight postal bending, VF. (80.00)

Superb cataloguing, attributing, and provenancing. 'Much of this [research and pedigreeling] work is beyond the scope of any normal auction catalogue'. Part 1, Sale 45. Prl. Hammered issues from Ceitic times to Richard III, including Henry III gold 'penny' and the Charles II 'Petition' Crown. Part 2, Sale 48. Prl. From Henry VII to date: Simon crown in gold, 1663 'Reddite' crown, Elizabeth I milled half pound, extraordinary patterns and proofs, 1953 maundy set in gold. Part 3, Sale 56. 191 Anglo-Saxon and Norman pennies, Hammered gold and silver from Edward I to end of series. Part 4, Sale 59. Prl. More Anglo-Saxon and Norman, medieval English and milled. The four sales grossed 1,586,843 pounds. These four sales represent the epitome of numismatic auction catalogues.

- 487. Bluestone, Barney. CATALOGUE OF THE "ORIGINAL" CELEBRATED ALBERT A. GRINNELL COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES PAPER CURRENCY. Parts I, II, and III. Small format. Heavy green CaC. VF. (45.00)
- Part I. 11/25/44. 67 pp. 501 lots, w/Prl. Part II. 3/10/45. 59 pp. 613 lots, w/Prl. Part III. 6/16/45. 95 pp. 902 lots, w/Prl. The complete Grinnell collection comprised 7 sales and one 'cleanup' sale. Original copies with original PRLs are elusive. Bluestone's cataloguing of Grinnell sales was as superb as Mehi's prior Grinnell offering was disappointing. Important.
- 488. Bluestone, Barney. 97th CATALOGUE. June 27-28, 1947. 75 pp. 2073 lots, Prl. Green CaC peripherally faded. Fine. (25.00)

An impressive offering of 125 bust halves with a Fine 1796 '16 star' (brought \$227.50) and a Fine 1797 (\$147.50) also 96th SALE 4/19/47. 2012 lots w/Prl. Good numisit, colonials, cents, currency.

489. Christensen, Henry, Inc. The JOHN M. WILLEM, JR. Trade Dollar Reference Collection, Sale 75. September 5, 1980. 44 pp. 765 lots. 11 pls. (15.00)

While most are aware of Willem's standard reference on United States Trade dollars, few are aware of this offering of his reference collection: 91 lots (including 17 patterns) 37 of which are pictured on both sides.

490. Donlon, William P. [THE DONLON CURRENCY COLLECTION] MAIL BID SALE AND REFERENCE COLLECTION. MAY 22, 1971. 119 pp. 940 lots W/ Prl. IIIs. VF. (15.00)

A most important offering of the famous expert's own currency collection, which he catalogued. Autographed.

491. Fisher, Charles. AUCTION SALE OF RARE COINS AND PAPER MONEY. March 14, 1936. 55 pp. 1304 lots. Ills. Better than Fine. (40.00)

"Largest lot of [Indian] Peace Medals offered since the Wilson Sale in 1925." 17 illustrations of Indian peace medals. A most elusive sale, formerly underappreciated. A really nice copy.

492. Harmer-Rooke. A MILLION DOLLAR SALE. PART I. November 17-22, 1969. 217 pp. 4119 lots 22 plates. Fine. (15.00)

Catalogued by Don Taxay. Ronald Wright's Mormon collection, 69 lots. Ray Johnson's colonials: 227 lots with 88 states colonials - 78 NJ coppers, 60 Washingtonia. 36 half cents. 5 1793 large cents. 2-1792 half dismes. Birch Cent. 1000 lot Virgli Brand's

outstanding Civil War tokens, Also Brand's 475 Masonic pennies. Perkins cent. Quintuple Stella, 144 currency vignettes. ALSO PART III. March 12-13, 1970. 64 pp. 880 iots, 7 plates. 130 lots of British Museum electros of ancient coins. Also a Perkins cent in AU.

493. Harmer-Rooke. A MILLION DOLLAR SALE, PART II. 1970 February 4-5, 1970. 76 pp. 1398 lots. Nearly VF. (12.00)

All numislit. A bibliography of 87 small format Chapman sales. 51 Chapman bidbooks. 180 lots of Chapmans. 317 other iots of U.S. numislit, including an 1884 Steigerwalt.

494. Hollinbeck-Kagin Coin Co. QUARTER MILLENIUM SALE, Parts 1-6. Small format, CaC. IIIs. A small cover tear on Sale 2, otherwise all are at least Fine. (75.00)

All 6 parts are rarely (we can find no other offering) offered. H-K celebrated reaching their 250th sale by having 6 of them from June 29, 1963 to February 22, 1965. The 6 sales exceeded 13,000 lots in 427 pages. Part 1. 6/29/63. 234 lots of colonials, 71 important attributed half cents with the Newcomber 1796, 247 attributed large cents with 21 1793s, 4 glit stellas. Part 2. 8/28/63. Neat early type, 144 attributed bust dollars, complete \$3.00s, Mormon currency with text. Part 3. 3/5/64. 162 bust halves: superb unc 1794, 11 1795s, unc 1796 15^, unc 1796 16^, 1797 p/l. 54 attributed half cents, 172 attributed large cents, Birch cent, 1858 \$10.00. Part 4. 8/31/64. 235 large cents, important large currency. Part 5. 11/24/64. 187 colonials, 129 bust halves, good terriforial gold w/text. Part 6. 2/22/65. 225 large cents with a 1799 extensively annotated by Breen. 81 bust halves. Good large currency. Neat stuff. Important.

495. Kreisberg, Abner and Jerry Cohen. PUBLIC COIN AUCTION. September 10-12, 1973. 150 pp. 2276 lots. 33 plates. Spine bruised, Fine. (10.00)

An excellent reference sale with excellent text material. Good colonials: NE Shilling. 19 bust dollars: an unc. 1794, 43 good bust half dollars. Good bust quarters: 1827 original. Well-provenanced large cents. Good half cents with 1796 with pole. A vastly underappreciated and most useful sale.

496. Merkin, Lester. THE AL C. OVERTON REFERENCE COLLECTION OF BUST HALF DOLLAR VARIETIES. June 14, 1974. 41 pp. 1074 lots, Prl. VF. (25.00)

Extremely elusive. The first 508 iots are Overton's "Overton" halves. Particular coins, plated in the standard reference, are indicated. Indispensable for the bust half nut. Also, inside are 170 attributed large cents.

- 497. NASCA. THE WAYTE RAYMOND COLLECTION. Parts I-IV. 4to. CaC. Fine & better. (40,00)
- Part I. 12/5-8/77. 166 pp. 3714 lots. Ills. Plate supplement. All foreign: excellent British, Commonwealth, and German with many proofs and specimens. Part II. 6/6/78. 139 pp. 4573 lots. 38 pls. Raymond's important reference collection of medallic art: 800 lots of U.S. and 500 lots of British. Part III. 8/14-16/78. 156 pp. 3517 lots. Plate supplement. Important Germanic, British, Commonwealth, and Russian. Part IV. 12/8/78. 100 pp. 1607 lots. 8 pls. Exceptional British, Commonwealth and Spanish. A nice set of a great modern sale.
- 498. Pacific Coast Auction Galleries. NORTHERN CALIFORNIA MUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION SALE. September 22-24, 1983. 137 pp. 2135 lots. 2 color plates with illustrations. VF. (15.00)

Kenneth Lee's [the author of the standard reference] collection of fractional gold: 284 lots. Also 50 additional lots of California gold. 17 lots of Japanese Obans and Kobans. Both varieties of Pan-Pac slugs.

- 499. Paramount. THE CENTURY SALE. April 30-May 1, 1965. 122 pp. 1928 lots. IIIs. VF. (12.00) 80 Important half cents with rarities and 24 (I) proofs. 100+ large cents with 1795 'Jefferson' head. 1802 half dime, 1894-S dime, 1876-CC 20 c, 1817/4 half dollar, 1838-O half dollar. Jim Ruddy was a principal in Paramount at this time. Much good text.
- 500. Penn-New York Auction Company (Bowers and Ruddy). AN AUCTION SALE OF RARE UNITED STATES COINS. July 29, 1957. Small format, CaC. 31 pp. 955 lots. 111s. (50.00)

The first auction of Bowers and Ruddy and the only one under the Penn-New York name. Important. BUT there are two MAJOR defects. On page 4, lot 46 has been cut out affecting this, and an illustration of a proof 1846 half cent. Even worse, on page 7, lot 114 which illustrated an 1857 proof cent has been cut out, also eliminating lots 150-164 (Indian cents) on the other side. There is also a vertical fold bisecting the catalogue.

Offerings Included 50 half cents, a pictured Jefferson head cent, 70 large cents, and 22 'gem' bust halves. This sought after, scarce catalogue would grade Fine if defect-free, probably bringing \$150.00. This is more than adequate as a space filler.

501. Peters, Jess. Sale 100: The MISS H. E. ZAK Collection. The Story of Martin Luther and the Reformation. September 28, 1979. 43 pp. 742 lots, Prl. 34 pls. VF. (20.00)

The most in-demand of all Peters' sales. A standard reference. 467 listings of Luther and Reformation coins, medals, and tokens, most illustrated on both sides. Also 372 listings of pertinent numbelit, an unsurpassed bibliography.

502. RARCOA & NASCA. CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL COIN FAIR. March 19-21, 1982. 167 pp. 2231 lots. 42 page plate supplement also ills. VF. (12.00)

Important as a reference for world medals, 532 iots with extensive, useful indices. 'This is the finest offering of world medals in an American auction in this century.'

503. Rose, Frank (Toronto). THE RENOWNED MC KAY - CLEMENTS NUMISMATIC COLLECTION. May 13-16, 1976. Small format, CaC. 110 pp. 2550 lots. 36 pls. Nearly VF. (20.00)

Most important for the offering of the Canadian 1911 (the only other one is in the Royal mint collection) Dollar with 6 pages of text. Also 670 lots of attributed Breton tokens with significant rarities: Gioriam Regni Issues, Bridge tokens, Repentigny tokens. The British Columbia \$10.00 and \$20.00 patterns. 400 important iots of Canadian currency. A scarce, important saie.

504. Schulman, Hans M.F. Duplicates from the Collection of ... KING FAROUK and Coins from the Estate of the Late MR. MAX SCHULMAN of Amsterdam. February 4, 1950. 44 pp. 1115 lots. Fine. (20.00)

"If it is true that a Great Man's aura passes onto the works of art once in his hands, then the present series of fine coins should indeed possess more than their numismatic interest." The Farouk consignment is primarily European crowns. The Schulman consignment is high quality ancient Greek, Roman, and Byzantine gold and silver. The last lot is a \$50.00 Wass Molitor round. Although certain lots list *Plate*, we are unaware of any plated copies. In our experience (well, that certainly carries a whole lot of weight), the scarcest by far of the post-war Schulman sales.

505. Schulman, Hans M.F. The HOWARD D. GIBBS Collection of Counterstamped, Necessity, and Siege Coins... 1960 & 1966. Covers Fine, contents better. (15.00)

Two of Schulman's Globs sales dealt specifically with counterstamped and slege colnage. (1). November 19, 1960, 13 plates: 66 lots of Bank of England oval and octagonal counterstamps (c/s), extensive gunmoney, and merchant c/s'ed 8 reales. (2). March 18-19, 1960, Pri. 44 plates. Catalogued by Globs; counterstamps of the Americas. Important references.

506. Schulman, Hans M.F. THE THOMAS OLLIVE MABBOTT COLLECTION: Coins of the Greek and Roman World, Two parts, 8vo. CaC. VF. (30.00)

PART ONE: C-S 1973. June 6-11, 1969. 148 pp. 3860 lots, Prl. 84 page plate supplement. 'Contains an unusual number of varieties not found in the British Museum catalogues.' Actually 3200 lots of Roman, emphasizing bronzes. One lot of 1600 pleces is the 'world's most important collection of Ancient Lead Tesserae.'

PART TWO: C-S 3679. October 27-29, 1969. 95 pp. 1478 (3861-5338, continued from Part One) lots. 32 plates. Roman

Republic and Imperial, Byzantine, Vandal, Ostrogoth, and crusader coinage.

A most important collection formed by the editor of Stack's Numismatic Review, the distinguished 1943-1947 periodical. Infrequently available.

507. Stack's. The W. EARL SPIES Collection of U. S. Silver Dollars 1794-1803. December 9-10, 1974. 70 pp. 872 lots. 111s. (15.00)

236 bust dollars with over 230 varieties and sub-varieties. A vastly undererrated sale of one of the most important collections of bust dollars. NOTE: Because of the ubiquitousness of Stack's sales, many of the most important are frankly, but unjustifiably ignored. This particularly elusive sale is a perfect example thereof.

508. Superior. THE GILHOUSEN COLLECTION, PART III. October 1-4, 1973. 140 pp. 1548 lots. 60 plates and IIIs. VF. (15.00)

18 neat half cents. 34 neat large cents with text. 29 good trimes with text, for which it is difficult to find good auction references, 33 important Valentine half dimes with text. Extraordinary dimes from 1796 with text. 41 important bust quarters, an unusually good offering. 106 exceptional bust halves. Superb bust dollars: 3 1794s. 7 Gobrecht dollars. Important Seated Liberty dollars with text. An exceptional catalogue underappreciated for its wealth of offerings and its text.

509. Superior Galleries. The HOAGY CARMICHAEL and WAYNE MILLER Collections. January 27-28. 1986. 4to, white cloth, gilt. 318 pp. 3984 lots, Prl. 5 color plates, ills, halftone frontises of Carmichael and Miller. Near Mint. (65.00)

The Deluxe Hardbound Edition, only 200 bound in this format. Miller's legendary Morgan dollar (1921 and 1922 Proofs are the only peace dollars offered) collection: 160 lots with 'finest knowns', branch mint proofs, and super-prooflikes. 695 lots of impressive U.S. gold. Nice quality bust and seated coinage. Important.

510. Triple Cities Coin Club (NY). E.S.N.A. 24th ANNUAL CONVENTION [PROGRAM]. May 18-20, 1962. 8vo, CaC. 26 pp. 111s. Glossy card covers slightly soiled, contents VF. (15.00)

For the collector of Bowers numiscellary ('Bowersiana'?), this Empire State Numismatic association convention is where Bowers and Ruddy held their only public auction under the firm name under Empire Coin Co. The actual auction catalogue is particularly elusive; the convention program is also. Cute.

Following is a rather nice group of scarce, small format Stack's sales. Previously unappreciated, these sales which contain significant offerings of colonials, half cents, large cents, and bust coinage are now eagerly sought. Unless noted, these are clean, nearly VF copies.

511. Stack's. DR. E. F. SLATER COLLECTION. February 13-15, 1947. 56 pp. 2087 lots. (15.00) 185 large cents, mostly attributed. Extensive early English. Good Scottish.

- 512. Stack's. SUPERB COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES COINS AND FOREIGN GOLD. December 20-21, 1947. Blue CaC. 41 pp. 1430 lots. Insignificant soiling at bottom of front cover. Fine. (50.00)
- NOTE: A Fine copy of this sale in Mr. Kolbe's May 1988 sale, lot 1179, brought \$290 (I) on an estimate of \$50,00. 41 half cents: 1796 with pole, 1831 LB, 1840 LB, 1841 LB, and 8 proofs. 33 pattern 5 cents. 201 proof singles from 1858-1915. Good U. S. gold with many rartiles. This sale was held at S. J. Kabealo's in Pasadena, CA.
- 513. Stack's. DAVID O. HUGHES ESTATE. April 9-10, 1948. 32 pp. 1205 lots, Prl. (25.00) 94 half cents with Gilbert attributions. 237 attributed large cents.
- 514. Stack's. WALTER GARRABANT COLLECTION OF U. S. LARGE CENTS. November 19, 1949. 36 pp. 1009 lots, Prl. Covers lightly soiled, with small split at backstrip. Still Fine. (25.00) 332 attributed large cents: 91793s, 351794s, 191796s.
- 515. Stack's. THE ARTHUR GRASSO COLLECTION OF COLONIAL COINS. November 17-18, 1950. 40 pp. 1404 lots. A layer of glossy paper removed from a small spot on rear cover. (25.00)

66 attributed bust dollars. 185 colonials: 1 of 4 known 1785 Confederatio cents, 3 Higleys, excellent states colnage. 146 lots of large cents with Sheldon dates attributed. 47 attributed HTTs.

- 516. Stack's. [J. H. SOUTH COLLECTION]. February 24, 1951. 32 pp. 909 lots, Pr1. (25.00) 16 1794 attributed, provenanced large cents. 10 1795 half dollars, many ex-"Newcomber". A few prices pencilled in margin.
- 517. Stack's. J. H. SOUTH COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES, FOREIGN, ANCIENT COINS et al. May 25-26, 1951, 40 pp. 991 lots. Prl., 10 plates, (25.00)

Most noteworthy for the 120 attributed bust quarters, 25 of which are plated obverse and reverse; extensive offerings of bust quarters are distinctly scarce. 45 attributed bust dollars. Outstanding ancient Greek and Roman, 'The former owner was a discriminate collector [whose] purchases were selected...from the trays of our distinguished colleague Dr. Hirsch and other important dealers.'

518. Stack's. MRS. HENRY FORD Estate. December 7-8, 1951. 32 pp. 1191 lots. (50.00)

245 large cents with Hays, Doughty, and Andrews attributions. "A Complete Group of Proof Coins from the Cent to the Dollar, Dated from 1869 thru 1915", 320 singles including 18 pre 1869s. A particularly elusive sale.

519. Stack s. LAURENCE O. ROSS COLLECTION OF SILVER DOLLARS. February 23, 1952. Green CaC. 24 pp. 655 lots. (25.00)

'The most extensive specialized collection of [early] silver dollars we have ever [auctioned]', 67 attributed bust dollars. Also a 1771 Greenland dollar.

520. Stack's, R. T. MC PHERSON COLLECTION, February 26-28, 1953, 52 pp. 1658 lots, (25.00)

284 lots of large cents, most with Hays, Doughty, and Newcomb attributions. 119 excellent bust halves with Beistle attributions. 4 1795s, 1796 15 star, 1797 Fine, 1815 Gem BU. Also a significant run of 14 "Proof" bust halves: 1820-1822, 1824-1827, 1829, 2 1830s, 2 1834s, 1835, 1836, 1838. Also a proof 1892 CC Morgan dollar.

- 521. Stack's. [THE JUDGE JOSEPH SAWICKI COLLECTION OF LARGE CENTS]. February 27, 1954. 32 pp. 969 lots. 3 plates of large cents. (25.00)
- 180 large cents, with attributions and extensive descriptions. 42 illustrated obverse and reverse. This is a particularly clean copy nearly pristine.
- 522. Stack's. [DOUGLAS, MASS. CONSIGNMENT OF LARGE CENTS]. April 2, 1955. 977 lots. (20.00) 118 attributed large cents, with good text by a most knowledgeable, but anonymous, cataloguer.

Following are significant auction catalogues which deal predominantly with colonials, half cents, large cents, and bust half dollars.

523. A-MARK. ADMIRAL W. S. BITLER COLLECTION OF LARGE CENTS: 1793-1814. March 17, 1973. 43 pp. 253 lots. 9 plates. VF. (17.00)

The Bitler sale is exceptionally well-catalogued with excellent photography by Jack Collins. Highlights: 12 1793s, 41 1794s, 34 1797s, 4 1799s.

- 524. Bluestone, Barney. Seventh Sale: COLLECTIONS of the late DR. GEO. P. FRENCH. February 17-18. 1933. 98 pp. 2216 lots, priced in margin. Frontis. Generally Fine. (35.00)
  - A most elusive sale. "... Choice Cents, Many of Which Are Much Finer and Rarer Than the Collection the Doctor Sold to Mr. Mehi

Some Time Ago." 549 lots (some multiples) of attributed large cents. 115 colonials, with Higley copper and attributed states coppers. Rare store cards. Important, really scarce.

525. Bluestone, Barney. FORTY-FIRST CATALOGUE. October 7-8, 1938. 79 pp. 2227 lots. 12 pls. Fine. (40.00)

Plated Bluestones are decidedly scarce. 'Unusual collection of choice United States large cents including three splendid 1799's and a magnificent 1804 seldom equalled (133 lots, 32 plated)." (also) 'Largest and Rarest Collection of American Colonial Colns Offered in Years - More Extensive and Many Superior in Condition to Those Sold in The Jenks Sale of 1921. 190 lots with excellent states coppers (67 plated). Important.

- 526. Bolender, M.H. 181st AUCTION SALE. September 8, 1951. 76 pp. 1675 lots, Prl. Nearly VF. (25,00) A goodle for the copper collectors. Part one of J. P. Young's large cent collection; 389 attributed cents from 1793-1826; 33 1794s, 34 1796s, 26 1797s, 46 1798s. Marmaduke Fox's 100 Bolender-attributed bust dollars. Good patterns, many provenanced.
- 527. Bolender, M. H. 182nd AUCTION SALE. November 10, 1951. 84 pp. 2000 lots. Fine. (25.00) Part two of Young's collection of large cents (see above lot Junless It's on the preceding page because that's where the bloody

computer decided to stick it]); 300 lots from 1827-1857. Excellent Washingtonia from the Nicholas Hoffman collection. Good ancients and foreign. Excellent numislit with all the key copper literature: Clapp, Clapp/Newcomb, 1925 Newcomb, Hays, Gilbert/Eider, 1926 Chapman, 1881 Maris, 1937 Wurtzbach, 1988 Honda, Elusive,

528. Bolender, M. H. SALE 190: HENRY STERNBERG COLLECTION OF LARGE CENTS. March 2, 1956, 94 pp. 1673 lots w/Prl. (25.00)

133 large cents with 40 1794s, and "the finest known" 1823 perfect date cent. Also featured is Louis Lincoln's complete collection of half dimes, and important gold dollars.

529. Cape Kennedy Medals. TOM MORLEY COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES LARGE CENTS. December 20. 1975. 32 pp. 208 lots. IIIs. Near Mint. (15.00)

122 attributed Sheldon large cents: complete 1794s by Sheldon numbers. Exceptional pedigreeling with good text.

530. Chapman, Henry. KING, GILLETE [AND FRENCH] COLLECTIONS OF UNITED STATES CENTS. December 19, 1927, 46 pp. 1058 lots. Covers peripherally faded, contents nearly VF. (25.00)

King's large cents consisted of 407 lots of which 178 are pre-1816; 12 1793s, 48 1794s. Gillette's large cents: 194 pre-1816, 9 1793s, 25 1794s. French's large cents: 54 pre-1816, 2 1793s, 17 1794s.

531. Chapman, Henry. COMMODORE W. C. EATON COLLECTION OF COINS AND NUMISMATIC BOOKS. May 7-8, 1929. 58 pp. 1149 lots. Covers peripherally laded, contents nearly VF. (25.00)

An underappreciated Chapman sale. 264 colonials with 83 New Jersey coppers. 213 large cents with 100 pre-1816. The Braden collection of 86 half cents. Also 65 lots of numIsmatic literature.

532. Elder Coin & Curio Corp'n. DR. CLIFTON WHEELER, SIGMUND VON LIEVEN, DR. GEORGE ROSS May 13-15, 1937. 94 pp. 2055 lots, Prl. Fine. (25.00)

Ross's large cents 362 attributed lots: 13 1793s. Also another extraordinary large cent collection of 103 attributed lots with many early dates provenanced. Ross' half cents, 'Largest Variety Collection We Have Had': 4 varieties of 1793. Also, another super attributed half cent offering with 2 1796 'w/pole', 1831 original, 3 1841s. Impressive states coinage. Significant.

533. Federal Brand Enterprises. 1964 A. N. A. SALE. August 18-21, 1964. 142 pp. 3849 lots. 11 plates. Covers Fine, contents better. (12.00)

200 large cents, most ex-Sawickl: 12 1793s, Jefferson head, 2 1797 NCs (non-collectible varieties), 200 Sheldon dates, 5 plates of large cents. 32 lots of encased postage. The 722 lot Kopas collection of Canadiana: 1670 15 sols (ex-Count Ferrari), 'finest known' 1921 50c. Featuring the rare U.S. 1829 \$ 5.00. Also a complete set of 25 lots of Dahlonega gold.

534. Fisher, Charles. AUCTION SALE OF RARE COINS AND PAPER MONEY. August 23,1934. 38 pp. 1005 lots. Once folded, covers peripherally faded, nearly Fine. (10.00)

Held In connection with the ANA Convention in Cleveland. 137 attributed large cents: VF 1799 ex-French and Elder. Some other consignments of large cents. A small lot of choice bust halves. Also numismatic literature.

535. Hollinbeck Stamp & Coin. [Sale 16] Duplicates from the C. DAVID PIERCE Collection. November 25, 1944. 102 pp. 2509 lots. Nearly VF. (20.00)

An especially choice collection of 200 attributed large cents, many compared to the French and Pearl collections - 'This is the choicest lot of large cents to have been offered at our auctions." Also 140 excellent bust halves, with many proofs, 350 proof singles, and an outstanding currency collection. A most elusive sale.

536. Hollinbeck-Kagin. 113th MAIL COIN AUCTION. January 31, 1952. 66 pp. 2132 lots. Fine. (20.00) 175 large cents, 21 ex-French. Also The Delaware Sale, 9/23/55, with 120 attributed Sheldon dates. And The Idaho Sale, 3/20/56, with 131 Sheldon dates. A useful offering for the large cent buff.

537. Imperial Coin Company (Ben Stack). [2 sales] The Second Annual MANA Convention. October 22-24. 1954. 36 pp. 1203 lots. *also* The HERMAN S. BERSTEIN Collection of United States Coins. February 18-19, 1955. 36 pp. 1161 lots. (25.00)

The only 2 public sales Stack conducted separately in a brief Texas excursion. The first sale offered 260 attributed large cents and the Dunham 1794 dollar. The second sale offered complete proof dimes, quarters, and halves from 1858-1915. Infrequently offered.

538. Kosoff, Abe. THE T. JAMES CLARKE COLLECTION OF LARGE CENTS AND HALF CENTS. April 21, 1956. 28 pp. 493 lots w/Prl. 13 plate supplement. Better than Fine. (15.00)

446 attributed large cents: 14 1793s, 140 Sheldon varieties, 200 Newcomb varieties. 47 half cents. The Is a nicely catalogued, well-provenanced sale.

539. Kosoff, Abe. EDWARD SCHWARTZ COLLECTION OF LARGE CENTS. October 11-12, 1961. 34 pp. 1170 lots. 13 page plate supplement. Covers lightly soiled, contents VF. (15.00)

1170 attributed large cents. Also included are offerings from the large cents collection of Emmanuel Taylor and Raymond Gallo. A total of 17 1793s, 69 1794s, 389 Sheldon dates - all attributed, many provenanced.

540. Kreisberg, Abner. VREELAND H. FRASER & E. E. WALLACE, JR. June 8, 1957. 78 pp. 2806 lots. VF. (10.00)

Many proof singles. 125 attributed large cents. Kreisberg's 4th sale, a particularly scarce catalogue.

541. Kreisberg, Abner and Hans Schulman. THE GEORGE LEE CROWN COLLECTION, PART II, AND THE S. W. FREEMAN COPPER COLLECTION. May 23-24, 1958. 151 pp. 3076 lots w/Prl. 24 plates. Back cover once bent, contents VF. (10.00)

The Freeman copper collection is often ignored: 72 half cents, 232 large cents (28 illustrated on plates) with good text. Also Freeman's reference collection of two cent pieces with 14 major varieties, one of the few sources for this information. Also Harris' 74 lot collection of 5 cent patterns. Also, 1025 crowns (2 1771 Greenland dollars)

542. Kreisberg, Abner and Jerry Cohen. MAIL BID SALE. March 20, 1972. 145 pp. 3068 lots. 31 plates. Fine. (10.00)

33 half cents. 97 attributed large cents, many with good text; 1793 choice unc Wreath, S-9, 1802 half dime. Part III of Kann's Chinese; 905 lots.

543. Mehl. B. Max. \*75: EXCELL, TROWBRIDGE, AND MC QUESTERN COLLECTIONS. April 12, 1927. 83 pp. 1871 lots. Covers slightly soiled, contents nearly VF. (15.00)

81 half cents. 300 large cents: 6 1793s. 37 bust dollars. Andrew Jackson Indian peace medal.

544. Merkin, Lester. [Large Cents from 1793 to 1811 Featuring the ARTHUR FRITZ collection of Large Cents from 1816 to 1857]. October 19, 1966. 8vo. CaC. 62 pp. 545 lots. Ills. Glossy covers soiled. contents VF. (15.00)

Catalogued mostly by Walter Breen. 36 stunning 'Sheldon' dates, many census, well-provenanced, 2 Sheldon and Newcomb (1925) plate coins. The Fritz coins are 'principally Condition Census coins.' Fritz' cents sold in the 1954 ANA sale were his second line collection. 'The coins presented here far surpass those, being in overall quality, not much below ... Helfenstein.' This lot also includes a 1959 handwritten letter from Fritz. Collins, 'Very scarce and important!'

545. New Netherlands. Forty-First Catalog: HILLYER RYDER Collection of U.S. Large Cents. September 26, 1953. 8vo, CaC. 52 pp. 949 lots. 6 pls. Fine. (40.00)

A most important sale. The important Ryder large cents, consigned by Wayte Raymond (I learned that from the new Breen Encyclopedia...), are thoroughly catalogued, provenanced, attributed, and plated; 70 of the large cents (5 of the 6 plates) are pictured on both sides. The cents consist of 86 Sheldon dates and 121 Newcomb dates. New Netherlands at its best.

546. New Netherlands. Forty-Fourth Catalog: HILLYER RYDER Collection of Half Cents. June 23, 1954. 8vo, CaC. 52 pp. 865 lots. 4 pls. Graffitti on faded covers, contents VF. (50.00)

'Catalogued mostly by Breen,' wrote Jack Collins who added, 'To the credit of the meticulous descriptions..., not one single lot was returned by mail bidders!' Ryder's important half cents, 85 lots of which 67 are plated. Kissner's large cents, 192 Newcomb dates. 117 colonials. This has supplanted #41 as the most eagerly sought NN sale, since the Norweb half cent sale. Amazing stuff!

547. Numismatic Enterprises. NASC LUCKY 13TH ANNUAL CONVENTION. February 15-18, 1968. 54 pp. 1768 lots w/ Prl. 8 plates. Covers Fine, contents VF. (12.00)

135 Jarge cents with Sheidon and Newcomb attributions. 15 well-catalogued 1794s with provenances.

548. Numismatic Gallery (Kosoff and Kreisberg). 1947 ANA SALE. October 26-27, 1947. 123 pp. 1754 lots. Ills. Chipped at top of spine, Fine. (17.00)

The catalogue is within the 176 pages official program. Prann 114 lot collection of colonials: 6 Sommer Islands coins. The important Sheraton large cent collection: 140 Sheldons and 155 Newcombs. "Sheraton" was Ernest Henderson and Robert L. Moore, the founders of the eponymous (I really like that word!) hotel chain. A nice copy.

549. Numismatic Gallery. 1949 ANA SALE. October 22-25, 1949. 90 pp. 2195 lots. III. Covers discolored, contents VF. (15.00)

The Floyd Starr large cent collection of 464 Newcomb varieties. Friedman silver dollar collection: 1794 unc, and 72 other bust dollars. Pan-Pac half in COPPER. 1884 Trade Dollar in silvered copper. A nice copy.

550. Numismatic Gallery. Sale 76: The LEE G. AGNEW collection of United States Coins and Large Cents from the Collection of HOMER K. DOWNING. December 9, 1952. 39 pp. 1179 lots, Prl. But for sporadic checks in margins, VF. (20.00)

"Mr. Downing collaborated with Dr. Sheldon on ... Early American Cents. 450 attributed large cents, many provenanced, from Downing, Agnew, and Williams. Elusive.

FOLLOWING is a group of Stack's sales which all contain significant copper. Some of these are not generally known for their value, others are unjustly ignored (we love being just, but just what no one is quite sure).

551. Stack's. The Dr. E. YALE CLARKE Collection of United States Coins. October 25, 1975. 64 pp. 514 lots, Prl and priced in margin. 111s. (12.00)

Another ignored treasure. 96 excellent attributed large cents with provenances from Helfenstein, Straus, Wallace, Kingman. Includes the 1794 St. Oswald MS-70. Many are census coins with excellent text. Also 77 quality bust halves with superb 1794-1797 examples.

552. Stack's. DAVIS-GRAVES. April 8-10, 1954. 123 pp. 1787 lots. Ills. Back cover slightly soiled, else VF. (30.00)

218 attributed large cents, the 74 Sheldon dates with excellent text. 49 Important half cents, with nine proofs and excellent early dates. I won't mention the complete quarter eagles (187 lots) and eagles (227) lots or the 70 bust dollars or the 7 pages on the Coulton 1804 dollar. This lot also includes DAVIS-GRAVES, Part II with 25 attributed, well-catalogued Sheldon dates. These are both nice copies, quite unusual.

- 553. Stack's. MAJ. LENOX R. LOHR. October 24, 1956. 36 pp. 1028 lots. 5 pls. Nearly VF. (12.00)
  79 attributed large cents, again the Sheldon dates well-attributed. Also offered the Menjou 1802 half dime, and unc 1794, 1795, and 1796/5 half dimes. 32 proof gold dollars. A nice copy.
- 554. Stack's. CROSBY, MAYFIELD, MAC MURRAY. January 30-February 1, 1958. 87 pp. 2044 lots. 12 pls. Fine. (12.00)

Mayfield's 220 attributed large cents, with good text, 3 plates of large cents. 17 proof half cents.

- 555. Stack's. PHILIP G. STRAUS. May 1-3, 1959. 107 pp. 2367 lots. 8 pls. Fine. (12.00) 318 attributed large cents with good text by C. Douglas Smith, strong in both Sheldon and Newcomb dates.
- 556. Stack's. The MILTON A. HOLMES Collection. October 5-8, 1960. 158 pp. 4135 lots. 18 pls. Covers lightly soiled, else nearly VF. (20.00)

"...one of the finest and most important large cent sales of the decade; catalogued by C. Douglas Smith," wrote Jack Collins.

338 large cents, 45 plated on both sides. Excellent text, well-provenanced. A nice copy.

557. Stack's. The ROBERT J. KISSNER Collection. June 27-28, 1975. 91 pp. 1041 lots. 10 pls. VF. (20.00)

Called 'the 1794 man' by W.S. Sheldon, Kissner assembled a super collection. 213 Sheldon dates, well-attributed and provenanced, illustrated on 7 plates. 59 1794s with a 'starred reverse', many 'finest known' and census coins. Also 130 attributed New Jersey coppers, the most since the Spiro sale, which is now an expensive catalogue. This is a super collection that is <u>vastly</u> undertrated. An excellent copy.

558. Stack's. The TAD Collection of Large Cents. February 4-6, 1976. 127 pp. 1471 lots, Prl. 111s. Covers slightly soiled, still VF. (15.00)

199 attributed large cents, 125 liliustrated obverse and reverse. Well catalogued by C. Douglas Smith. 'The great majority of them [the large cents] are in such a splendid state of preservation of that they have a hypnotic quality'. The coins have superb provenances. A neat sale with a heap o' important information for the large cent collector.

## CONSIGNMENT EXPO

The Columbian Exposition and the 1933 Century of Progress Expo spawned an incredible number of collectibles including coins, tokens, medals, and the first elongateds. Also, issued in conjunction were a bunch of books, which have become collectible in their own right. By the merest coincidence, following are some particularly noteworthy ones.

559. Barrett, J.P. ELECTRICITY AT THE COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION. 1894. 8vo. 501 pp. Over 3 dozen pls. 2 inch scrape along bottom front of cover, else VF. (30.00)

Everything you ever wanted to know about electrical current, telegraphs, telephones, arc and incandescent lighting as it was known in 1893.

560. Century of Progress Administration. OFFICIAL STORY & ENCYCLOPEDIA OF A CENTURY OF PROGRESS. 1933. 4to. 226 pp. Many pls. and a map and a Firestone advertisement bound in. VF. (50.00)

This is the official guidebook of the Fair, and the binding indicates that this one was specially hardbound for one John Van Der Velde. Amongst all else, it lists all the exhibitors and concession holders. The front cover is a bookbinders masterplece.

561. Mattill, H. LIFE OF CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS. 1893. 12mo. 332 pp. Many illustrations. Cover worn at extremities, back cover separated from spine but intact, VG. (20.00)

This edition was written specifically for the Columbian Exposition and contains a chapter about the expo.

562. National Chemigraph Company. **PORTFOLIO OF VIEWS, THE WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION.** 1893. Oblong 8vo, card covers tied at spine like a photo album. 38 pp. 38 pls. VF. (25.00)

This is literally a photograph album containing 36 chemigraphs, which apparently was a new process for printing photographs. The front cover is charming and ornate.

563. Runyan, Georgie D. 400 YEARS IN AMERICA. 1892. 12mo. 592 pp. Frontis, 15 color pls. Worn at spine, front cover discolored near top, else VG. (25.00)

Contains one chapter each on Republican & Democrat politics of the 1890's. Hmmm, I wonder if anything has changed?

564. State of New York. NEW YORK AT THE WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION. 1894. 8vo. 647 pp. Numerous pls. Spine lightly sunned, else VF. (40.00)

This book is verriffly heavy, and contains a pocket at the back with a pull-out map of New York state showing the location of mineral deposits. The book detail the exhibits brought to the Expo by the State of New York. I'm impressed.

565. Truman, Maj. Ben C. HISTORY OF THE WORLD'S FAIR. 1893. 610 pp. 8vo. Profusely illustrated. Covers VG but sound, contents better. (50.00)

If you like allegory, you'll love the cover of this tome, it is non-prejudicial and covers the whole Fair as opposed to the caramel-coated Victorian braggadocio spread about by the individual exhibitors. For a general overview of the Fair, this is the book.

# **CONSIGNMENT OHIO - SUPPLEMENTAL**

566. Superior Galleries. The RUSSELL & EUDORA BELL WYATT Collection Sale. 4to, texturized brown processed cowhide, gilt. September 30-October 1, 1985, 315 pp. 3123 lots. Prl. in rear pocket. 4 full-color plates. 38 photographic plates. Mint. (200.00)

The Special Deluxe Library Edition. According to Jack Coilins only 40 copies were bound in this format. The 'fine photographic plates feature the most important specimens of the Coioniais, half cents, and large cents'. The collection features 763 thoroughly attributed large cents, (ex-Henry Devore) 150 of them Sheldon dates, including a 1793 'NC-6'; 112 attributed half cents; and 66 attributed bust dollars. An important sale.

567. Florange, Jules. L'AMOUR ET MARIAGE DANS LA NUMISMATIQUE. 1936. 8vo, CaC. 76 pp. Unopened. Ilis. VF. (18.00)

A cataloguing of 560 coins, medals, and tokens about love and marriage (many provenanced). Written in French, but easily understandable.

568. Muscalus. John A., Ph.D. PAPER MONEY IN SHEETS. 1949. Small 4to, CaC. 106 plates of uncut sheets. Fine. (20.00)

The most sought after of the Muscaius publications. "The majority of the sheets herein illustrated are State bank notes".

569. Ferraro Vaz, J. LIVRO DAS MOEDAS DE PORTUGAL/BOOK OF THE COINS OF PORTUGAL. 1972. 8vo, CaC. 280 pp. 111s. Vais. Nearly VF. (20.00)

Written in both Portuguese and English, this covers coinage from D. Sancho I (1185-1211) to 1972. Most useful for the 181 pages of pre-Krause coinage, especially for identifying the hammered and medieval issues

570. Webb, E.O. A HISTORY OF OUR METALLIC MONEY FROM THE EARLIEST PERIOD TO THE PRESENT TIME AND THE COINS OF THE UNITED STATES. 1936. 8vo, CaC. 80 pp. 111s. Covers lightly soiled, else Fine. (15.00)

A nice readable overview with most chapters on American colnage, especially private and territorial gold, colonials, and commens. Cute.

- 571. Bourgey, E. 12 AUCTION CATALOGUES FROM 1973 to 1983. 4to, red CaC. Averaging Fine. (60.00)
  The profusely illustrated, grand format (many plated) sales are especially strong in Ancient Greek, Roman, medievals, and pre-19th century French. Includes name sales: Chevaller, Billey, Bolsgerard. Most underappreciated.
- 572. Glendining & Co. CATALOGUE OF RARE COINS AND WAR MEDALS. Comprising the Collection of the late COL. J.G. DOWNING, L. REDMAN, Esq., GEORGE KERSLAKE, Esq. September 18-20, 1929. 8vo, CaC. 60 pp. 676 lots. Nearly VF. (20.00)

A post-sale copy with the prices printed beside each lot. Includes two groups of hammered pennies, good hammered silver, and Downing's important war medals. This lot also includes an important 1973 Sotheby sale of military medals with 3 colour plates. Also, including a 1929 post-sale priced copy of 289 lots.

573. Glendining & Co. Catalogue of an Important Collection of Coins of the World in Gold and Silver. June 10-11, 1970. 8vo, CaC. 57 pp. 925 lots. 22 fine plates. VF. (15.00)

A most extensive offering of 680 lots of Latin American gold and silver, strong in 8 reales "the most extensive one of its kind which has appeared at auction in England since the Petizer Sale in 1927".

574. Glendining (& SPINK). 2 SALES OF BRITISH GOLD COINS. February 11 and May 12, 1976. Both 8vo, CaC. Both w/Prl. Glossy covers scuffed, contents VF. (10.00)

The two heavily plated sales consist of gold coins from Charles II onward, including many rarities, patterns, and proof sovereigns.

575. Glendining & Co. (London). CATALOGUE OF ENGLISH HAMMERED GOLD COINS. November 24, 1976. 8vo, CaC. 24 pp. 181 lots. 16 pls. Covers Fine, contents VF. (15.00)

Every coin is illustrated obverse and reverse. Thoroughly attributed, many quite rare, and in high grade. An exceptional offering of a decidedly scarce group of coins.

576. Hess, Adolph. SAMMLUNG JOACHIM SCHEYER. Romische Munzen. December 1, 1913. 4to, CaC. 71 pp. 2101 lots. 16 fine plates. Split one inch down from at top of backstrip, contents better than Fine. (30.00)

C-S 3700. An important collection of ancient Roman, most noteworthy for the many exceptional bronzes. The quality plates are of special utility.

577. Kress, Karl (Munich). 15 Consecutive Auction Catalogues from SALE 116 (October 1960) to SALE 130 (June 1964). 4to, CaC. Fine. (90.00)

The sales average 3500 lots with 20 plates depicting both sides of the coins. Especially strong in Ancient Greek and Roman, and pre-19th century Germanic. An impressive run.

578. Medlar's. The GLENN B. SMEDLEY Collection of Die Proofs, Specimen Notes, Vignettes, and Illinois Obsolete Notes, et al. September 25-26, 1981. 4to, pictorial CaC. 53 pp. 694 lots. 111s. VF. (12.00)

A profusely illustrated large format sale with especially important offering of illinois obsolete notes. (I particularly coveted the 76 lots of die proof vignettes.) Rather elusive.

579. Monnaies et Medailles (Basel). VENTE PUBLIQUE XXI: CENT MONNAIES ROMAINES EN OR. March 19, 1960. Small 4to, CaC. np. 100 lots, Est. & Prl. 7 pls. Once folded, else better than Fine. (15.00)

A modest sale offering only 100 lots (many provenanced) exclusively of high grade Roman gold - from an Aureus of Julius Caesar to a Solidus of Julianus Philosophus (360-363). All lots illustrated on both sides. Important.

580. Monnaies et Medailles (Basel). VENTE PUBLIQUE XXVIII. June 19-20, 1964. Small 4to, CaC. 78 pp. 738 lots, Prl. 40 pls. Covers faded at backstrip, else nearly VF. (20.00)

A most impressive sale of high quality ancient Greek and Roman. Thoroughly catalogued, well-provenanced, easy to use. The

infrequently offered PRL is a special reference aid. Also, engraved gems and numislit: one lot offering 17 of the 18 Ars Classica catalogues.

581. Munz Zentrum (Cologne). AUKTION 52: AGYPTISCHE MUNZEN. November 12, 1984. 8vo, glossy CaC. 143 pp. 1389 lots. IIIs. Virtually VF. (15.00)

All ancients - featuring 77 lots of Ptolemy, the rest Roman from Augustus to Diocletian. All iots Illustrated both obverse and reverse. Well-organized, thoroughly attributed. A most useful foreign catalogue.

582. Numismatic Art & Ancient Coins (Zurich). ANCIENT GREEK COINS. [The BURTON Y. BERRY Collection]. April 17, 1986. Tall 4to, CaC. 46 pp. 325 lots, est. 14 pls. Bottom corner acutely bent, else nearly VF. 115.00)

Catalogued by Robert Myers. The auction contains ABOUT 200 plate coins from the SNG: BURTON Y. BERRY COLLECTION, 1962. Thoroughly attributed and described, each coin is illustrated obverse and reverse. Impressive offering.

583. Numismatik Lanz (Munich). AUKTION 20: MUNZEN DER ANTIKE. April 13, 1981. 94 pp. 949 lots, Est. 32 pls. Covers lightly scuffed, contents VF. (15.00)

Exclusively ancient Greek, Roman, and Byzantine. Well-catalogued, easy to follow. ALSO Auction 21 (following day): virtually all Germanic sliver and gold from 15th to 19th century. All lots illustrated on 76 plates.

584. Parke-Bernet Galleries, Inc. Sale 2746: The Collection of the Late EDWARD T. NEWELL. Coins of Ancient Greece and Rome and a Series of Early Italian Coins. October 16-17, 1968. 8vo, CaC. 34 pp. 412 lots, Prl. 13 fine plates. VF. (20.00)

Although many Newell coins were bequeathed to the ANS, this sale offers many scarce and especially aesthetic coins. The 30 Italian medievals are especially important. A highlight is Boulton's Trafalgar Medal in gold. Scarce.

585. Parke-Bernet Galleries, Inc. Sale 2930: COINS & COMMEMORATIVE MEDALS. November 11, 1969. 8vo, CaC. 26 pp. 284 lots. Pri stapled in. 6 pls. Nearly VF. (15.00)

Features 2 Washington Seasons medals, a Jefferson Peace medal, a small Indian Peace medal of Millard Fillmore (an empty carriage pulled up, and Fillmore got out), many other 19th century Presidential and commemorative medals, a 1799 \$10.00, two "High Reliefs". Important offerings, not widely known.

536. Parke-Bernet Galleries, Inc. Sale 2953: THE EXTREMELY IMPORTANT GREEK HOARD. Coins in Gold and Silver of Northern Macedonia. December 9, 1969. 8vo, CaC. 24 pp. 278 lots, Prl. 8 collotype plates. VF. (15.00)

The coins were minted between 359 and 315 B.C. Well catalogued and attributed. Highlights: 2 Lykkeios tetradrachms, 30 staters of Phillip II and Alexander III, local imitations of the Paeonian issues of Patraos. Important.

587. Pilartz. Heinrich (Cologne). 4 Auction Sales: X (10/65), XII (9/66), XVI (11/67), XVII (3/68). Small 4to, CaC. Spotted backstrips, else better than Fine. (25.00)

Each averages 2300 lots and 30 plates. The easy to follow sales are especially strong in Germanic and European crowns from the 16th to 19th centuries. Also featured are ancient Greek and Roman, early gold, and orders and medals.

588. Poplavsky, Georges de IVersailles). TRES IMPORTANT COLLECTION DE MONNAIES. Novembre 26-27, 1966. Small 4to. CaC. np. 888 lots. 32 pls. Chipping at spine ends, contents VF. (15.00)

Highlighted by an extraordinary grouping of 470 French essais from the revolution to date. Bernard Poindessault Indicated that many of the pieces were previously unknown and others futilely sought after. Additionally there are 100 well catalogued French medievals to pre-revolutionary. Neat.

589. Schulman, Hans M.F. The MILLAN and FUSENI Collections. February 28, 1959. 8vo, CaC. 89 pp. 700 lots. 12 pls, ills. Nearly VF. (10 00)

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